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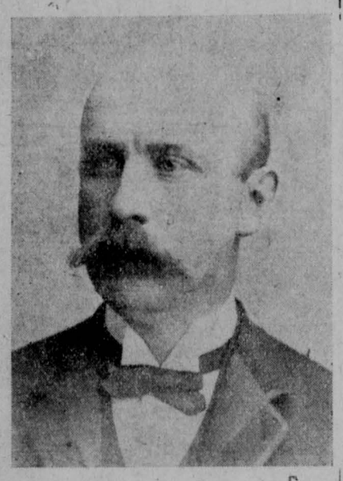

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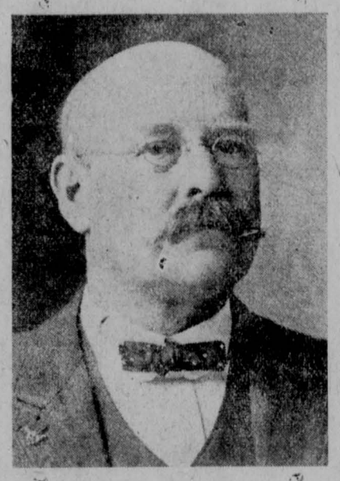

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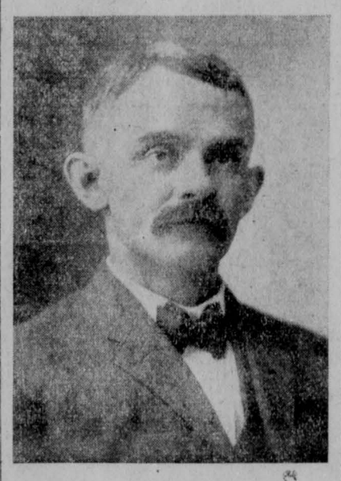

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Edson D. Harkness of Springfield for County Commissioner.

Langdon H. Marsh of Wyalusing for County Commissioner.

Alden Keyes of Columbia for County Auditor.

# COUNTY REPUBLICANS NOMINATE TICKET.

## Delegates Endorse Congressman Lilley for Governor—Sketches of the Candidates for County Offices.

Hon. Mial E. Lilley, congressman from this district, was endorsed for governor of Pennsylvania at the Republican county convention held here Thursday afternoon and a committee of five was appointed to prosecute his claim for that office. The endorsement was made by a rising vote of the delegates and the suggestion that Bradford county should launch a man for governor in the person of Mr. Lilley was received with enthusiasm.

The convention was called to order by County Chairman J. Roy Lilley at 1:47 and the roll call of delegates by Secretary W. J. McCabe showed an attendance of over 130 delegates and substitutions brought this number up to 144. J. W. Stone, Esq., of Canton, nominated J. H. Brown of Cedar Ledge for permanent chairman of the convention and Mr. Brown was unaminously chosen and made an excellent presiding officer. Mr. Brown made a short address in accepting the honor of chairman. He said that the Republican party met as representing the entire people. The Democratic party, he claimed, had gone out of existence and while this might appear to be a nice thing it might lead to the party's fighting amongst its own members just for the sake of exercise. He urged that the Republican party hold rigorously to its high standard of the past and that the policy of the administration and its great leader, Theodore Roosevelt, be supported.

For secretaries, Hon. E. M. Tuton nominated W. L. Barclay of Barclay township and H. K. Craig of Ridgebury township. Mr. Barclay could not be present and in his place Hon. W. D. Morse of Troy was named. Both were chosen unaminously.

For county chairman, J. Roy Lilley was named by B. T. Hale, Esq., of Towanda and was unanimously reelected. Upon motion of F. N. Hubbard a committee of five on tabulating the returns was appointed by the chairman as follows: F. N. Hubbard of Springfield, Martin Elsbree of Windham, D. H. Aird of South Creek, Fred Horton of Wilmot and Emerson Vought of Sheshequin.

C. E. Mills, Esq., of Athens, moved that a committee of five be appointed on resolutions and the chair appointed Mr. Mills, John A. Innes of Canton, Thomas Collony of Troy, C. J. Ford of Pike and Spencer Brougham of Sayre. While the committees were deliberating several were called on for speeches.

Hartley L. Prince of North Towanda, who was one of the defeated candidates for county treasurer, made a brief speech, thanking those who had supported him in the primaries and pledging his support to his successful rival and to the ticket in general. J. T. McCollum of Troy, one of the unsuccessful candidates for register and recorder, was called for. He expressed his thanks for support and said that while he had been defeated, yet he had enjoyed his canvass and that he had discovered anew and to a greater extent what an intelligent and prospercus county Bradford was. He accepted the result of the primaries cheerfully and heartily as the will of the people expressed at the polls.

### Lilley for Governor.

The committee on resolutions, through Chairman Mills, then offered the following resolutions:

The Republican party of Bradford county again takes its stand in the ranks of the great organization which has for so many years controlled the destinies of the state and nation. We point with pride to the achievements of the party and at the growth and prosperity of the country under the governing principles of the same.

The republic is to be congratulated at this time upon having at its head a man of the stamp of Theodore Roosevelt. Under his wise and fearless leadership the United States has assumed the foremost place of any power in the world. Even today this is evidenced by the position which our president has taken in the cause of humanity in the Far East. We think that his policies and performances are the exact policies and principles of the party to which he belongs.

It is with pleasure that we again call attention to the careful and business-like manner in which our state is governed. Our state institutions are many and beneficial, and even within our county is one which is a boon to the sick and needy; our state treasury is on a sound basis and many new and desirable innovations have been introduced under the administration of Samuel W. Pennypacker.

The work of the Hon. Boies Penrose in the senate of the United States is commended by the convention and his re-election to that body is endorsed and approved. We also have in the person of the Hon. Philander C. Knox a senator whose ability and scholarly attainments are unexcelled by any of his colleagues, and his presence in that body not only strengthens and elevates the same but casts great credit on the sons of the Keystone state.

The work of our senator and representatives in the legislature shows a thoughtful and painstaking course of duty and the same is endorsed by this convention.

Mr. Mills then stated that while this county of Bradford had sent many men of distinction and of undying fame to Harrisburg and to Washington, it had never yet been recognized in the matter of having one of its citizens honored by the office of governor of the state. He claimed that there was in Bradford county the talent and the man qualified to fill the office of chief executive. This man had risen from the lowly walks of life, always working for the advancement of the Republican party. As prothonotary, as assistant United States district attorney and as congressman from this district he had made a record for ability and integrity and it should be a duty, and a pleasure, said Mr. Mills, that this convention should endorse this citizen. He then offered the following resolution which was enthusiastically received:

Whereas, Northeastern Pennsylvania has never been represented in the executive chair of this commonwealth;

And whereas, a Citizen of this county, by reason, not only of his native ability but by years of experience in public and political work as Prothonotary of this county, as assistant United States district attorney, and as congressman from this district, is eminently qualified to fill the office of governor of this state:

Therefore, be it Resolved, That the Hon. Mial E. Lilley be and hereby is the candidate of this county for the office of governor of Pennsylvania, and also that the chairman of this convention is directed to appoint a committee of five to vigorously prosecute his claim for that office.

The chairman then called for a rising vote and the delegates rose to a man in support of the well known leader. As a committee to prosecute Mr. Lilley's canvass the following were appointed by the chairman: Charles E. Mills of Athens, John A. Innes of Canton, E. F. Kizer of Towanda, B. T. Hale of Towanda and Hon E. D. Lewis of Wyalusing.

The committee on tabulating returns then made a report through Mr. Hubbard and declared the vote to be as follows: For sheriff, John W. Codding, 2,865; G. M. Gilbert, 609; N. V. Weller, 1,745. For prothonotary, Frank Pike, 4,259. For register and recorder, Charles P. Dewey, 2,706; J. T. McCollum, 967; G. M. Hoffman, 1,361. For county treasurer, W. F. Waters, 2,602; H. L. Prince, 1,829; Theodore Pierce, 628. For county commissioners, E. D. Harkness, 3,634; L. H Marsh, 3,003; H. H. Bentley, 2,598. For county auditors, Alden Keyes, 2,553; Wilbur Gorham, 2,208; W. A. Smith, 1,556; H. Eugene Landon, 1,934.

Mr. Hubbard announced the nomination of Mr. Codding, Mr. Pike, Mr. Dewey, Mr. Waters, Mr. Harkness and Mr. Marsh, Mr. Keyes and Mr. Gorham. As no nomination had been made for the office of county coroner, upon motion of B. T. Hale of Towanda, Dr. J. C. Lee of Herrick was unaminously nominated.

### Some Speechmaking.

Hon. Giles M. Coons of Canton was called for and made an interesting speech. He said that some 45 years ago, David Wilmot presided at the big wigwam in Chicago where Abraham Lincoln was nominated for the presidency and that Wilmot had declared that slavery was sectional; freedom was national. He urged that the party stand by those principles and follow the standard of Roosevelt and Secretary of State John Hay.

Mr. Lilley's name was repeatedly called-for and that gentleman responded briefly. He thanked his friends for the confidence that they had again expressed in him by endorsing him for the high office of governor. He promised that as congressman he would serve his constituents to the best of his ability. He said that he would just as far as he could uphold President Roosevelt in his great work for this country and that he believed that this was what the men who had elected him desired him most to do. He again thanked the convention for the repeated honors that the party had given him. His speech was greeted with hearty applause.

John W. Codding of Towanda, the nominee for sheriff, made a brief speech in thanks for the honor conferred and promised to execute the duties of the office to the best of his ability should he be sucessful at the polls in November. He expressed himself as glad at the apparent good feeling that existed in regard to the ticket. Hon. Louis Piollet said, he could not compete with the attractions of the ball game but he took the occasion to pledge his hearty support to the policy and organization of the party in Bradford county. He said that the ticket which had been nominated was one that could be endorsed by every Republican in the county and that the men who had been chosen were well qualified for the positions to which they sought election. Hon. E. M. Tuton said that in all his political experience he had never seen a more hearty or harmonious convention and that the condition of the party generally was due in great measure to their great leader, Theodore Roosevelt, who under the standard of civic and political rightousness had led the party to the greatest success in its history.

The convention adjourned at 2:47 after a remarkably harmonious session.

### SKETCHES OF CANDIDATES.

#### Incidents in the Lives of the Republican Nominees.

While the men who were named by the Republican county convention last week are generally well known throughout the county, the following short sketches of their lives will make ineresting reading to many.

#### John W. Codding.

John W. Codding of Towanda, nominee for sheriff, is one of the most widely known men on the ticket. He is a son of Colonel John A. Codding of Towanda and was born in Pike township June 10, 1854. His father removed to Towanda when Mr. Codding was but six months old and he has resided in Towanda and Towanda township ever since. He attended school at the public schools and at the Susquehanna Collegiate Institute and was graduated from the latter institution in the class of 1873. That fall he entered Lafayette college at Easton and was graduated in the class of 1877. He read law with Overton & Mercur and was admitted to the Bradford county bar in 1879. He was married to Miss Anne E. Hale in 1890 and since that time has resided in Towanda township where he has had considerable to do with looking after the Hale farms and their business interests in Towanda. Mr. Codding is one of the most active Republicans in the county and has served a total of 12 years as county chairman. He was elected district attorney in 1889 and served the regular term of three years. He is at present the referee in bankruptcy for this district, but he will

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Dr. J. C. Lee of Herrick for County Coroner.

# CLOUDBURST AT TROY

## Thousands of Dollars Damage Done There Tuesday Evening.

### STORE AND LUMBER GONE.

#### Storm of Twenty Minutes Duration Worked Great Havoc, Taking Away Bridges and Much Other Property—Electric and Other Plants Flooded.

Troy borough experienced an electric storm between 6 and 7 o'clock on Tuesday evening that quickly assumed the proportions of a cloudburst, and did thousands of dollars of damage in a few minutes. No lives were lost.

The principal damage was done to property lying along the branch of Sugar creek that runs from South to North through the borough, parallel to Canton street. Small bridges were swept away and chicken houses, small barns and outhouses were whirled down stream. At the junction of Canton and Railroad streets and Redington avenue the force of the water fell the heaviest. The floor of the big brick building occupid by the Gazette-Register printing office was covered with water, and the engine and fire rooms of the electric p ant adjacent were flooded. The fires were put out, the dynamos injured and the town left in darkness.

A few feet further down the stream the Oliver furniture store wareroom overhung the stream. The foundations were carried away and a portion of the building with much furniture stored there were carried away The most serious loss was suffered by the Sucese & Case Lumber company, and Snedeker & Mitchell, whose lumber yards lay along both sides of the creek. Thousands of feet of valuable lumber were swept away. The barns of Sucese & Case were flooded and two horses drowned.

The large barns of the Jones livery were washed from their foundations to an adjoining lot and turned completely about but were not wrecked. The properties of the Bowen tannery, the Rolison flour mills, Spaldings coal yard and the H. M. Wood agricultural warehouse were flooded, but no lasting damage done. Residents along Elmira street lost poultry houses and gardens.

The Northern Central railroad between Troy and Granville Summit suffered somewhat, a large washout eight miles south of the borough holding up traffic until after 1 o'clock yesterday morning.

The storm was very spectacular during the 20 minutes it lasted. The rain came down literally in sheets, and the darkness of midnight was alternated with the most vivid lightning.

#### Bullock Reunion.

The annual reunion of the Bullock family will be held in Alparon Park at Troy, on June 29. All relatives are invited to be present.

### APPROVES OF CANDIDATES.

#### Letter From LeRaysville Subscriber on Republican Ticket.

This office is in receipt of a letter from a subscriber who lives at LeRaysville which is so interesting that some of its contents are reprinted here. The letter says in part: "The appointment of Judge Stewart of Chambersburg by Governor Pennypacker was a fitting tribute to the standing of the man as will be recognized by all who know him. He was the youngest man of his class at Princeton, but not the least known. He made a good race for the office of governor but was defeated for it. He is a man of quite superior attainments, is able to fill with well known abilities the office on the supreme court bench. He will likely be unanimously chosen, as much because he is so well and so favorably known as a correct and unbiased judge concerning whom all may safely trust in his judgment. Two years more will complete his 50 years since graduation; let us hope he may hold on so his last days may be his best.

"Concerning our county ticket, we have made a very wise choice all through, it will so strike the average man. All are good men that we may vote for conscientiously."

#### Entertained at Elmira.

Thirty-two ladies spent an enjoyable afternoon Saturday at the home of Mrs. Daniel G. Carey in Brand street, the pleasant affair beeing given in honor of Mrs. Delos Ayers, of New York, and Miss Frances Walters, of Towanda. The guests had been asked to wear or bring certain articles representing popu'ar plays or operas, and for guessing the largest number of correct answers, Mrs. Mildred Morgan won a dainty souvenir.—Elmira Advertiser.

#### Arrested at Wysox.

Charles A. Simpson, a knight of the railroad track, was arrested by Sheriff Robinson and Officer Hollon at Wysox Tuesday. People at that place thought the man acted suspiciously and thought he might be the big man seen in the woods near Wetona and wanted in connection with the Troy murder. Simpson is tall enough for he stands over six feet four inches. He will be held for drunkenness and illegal train riding.

#### Three Years Each.

Robert and Lorenzo Heeman, who were charged with counterfeiting operations at Binghamton, pleaded guilty in United States district court at that place on Thursday and Judge Ray sentenced them to three years each in Auburn prison.


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# CHIEF FENNER OF TROY SHOT DOWN BY BURGLARS.

## Dead Body Found in Rear of Building With Bullets Through His Heart and Leg—Suspect Arrested.

Chief of Police Edward M. Fenner of Troy borough, was murdered at an early hour on Saturday morning by unknown parties while in the performance of his duty. His dead body was found lying in an alley off Main street about 6:20 o'clock, by Thomas Gatens and Arthur Dunbar, employes of Snedeker & Mitchell, near whose barns the body lay. One bullet had pierced the heart and another had gone through the left leg and the groin and was found in the hip pocket.

#### Crime Shrouded in Mystery.

There is absolutely no clue as to the perpetrators of the dastardly crime, and only from circumstantial evidence can the story of how the faithful officer met his death be told. Shots were heard about 3 o'clock in the morning, but no particular attention was paid to them. Fenner's body lay a short distance away from and facing the blacksmith shop of Smith & Conklin. The lock had been twisted from the door of the shop, and in the walls of the building and the adjacent barn were the marks of four bullets corresponding in calibre to the officer's revolver. He had fired four shots and his gun was gripped in his left hand.

The general supposition is that Officer Fenner surprised two or more men attempting to break into the shop, that he engaged in a pistol duel with them and so met his death in the unflinching performance of his duty. In the walls of the shed back of where the body lay were found the marks of several bullets of two different sizes, showing that at least two men opened fire upon him.

District Attorney Mills, Sheriff Robinson, Chief Mulligan of Athens, and Sheriff Cassada of Elmira, were on the scene early Saturday and with the local officers began a rigid and thorough investigation. Justice of the Peace B. A. Long held an inquest, the verdict being that the officer came to his death from gunshot wounds at the hands of unknown parties while in the performance of his duty.

All sorts of rumors and stories in regard to the affair were in circulation. The statement that early in the evening Fenner had arrested and locked up a stranger, and that this man's confederates had shot the officer to get his keys and had liberated the prisoner, was entirely without foundation. No such arrest had been made and the keys were in the dead man's pocket. In fact the officers have absolutely no clues upon which to work.

#### Reward of One Thousand Dollars.

The town council of Troy borough at once called a special meeting and offered a reward of $300 for the apprehension of the murderers. The county commissioners have authorized a reward of $700 for the same

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**D. T. EVANS**

**Warm Weather Suggests Lawns, Batistes, Organdies, etc.**

We have them in the dainty flowered effects and in white. A line of figured organdies at 15c a yard, would be good values at 25c.

WHITE LINON WAISTS—Just received new line and now have full line of sizes.

SILKS OF ALL KINDS—Will close the corded wash silks, 39c and 50c qualities at 30c a yard.

These sunny days suggest porch protection. Vudor Shades furnish the greatest comfort; they let in the air but keep out the sun.

**D. T. EVANS**

The late planting of corn and poor seed is a combination which hardly ever wins.

The bragging about the prospect for a large crop of fruit is very often hushed later on by the difficulty in finding a market for it.

A South Dakota woman who entered some hens in the late Australian egg laying contest, where they took a number of first prizes, has no trouble now in selling her old hens at $20 each.

The cement road culvert is coming into use, and it is easily the best material for this purpose which has yet been tried. The wooden culvert is going to disappear from the highways of the country inside of ten years.

There are two farm products which always maintain good prices and are never overproduced, and these are eggs and butter. Cold storage will always prevent any glut of the market in either of these products.

Fly time and hot weather coupled with poor pasture are a combination which fixes no end of good cows. Try a dark, cool barn and plenty of good green food for the cows from 9 to 5 o'clock during dog days this year, and see the cows hold up their milk.

A dairyman inquires whether the possibilities of the dairy cow have been reached. If his cows are making only 175 pounds of butter a year they have not, but if they are making 400 pounds they are. There is a 225 pound butter possibility connected with most of our dairies—that much butter which they get and don't.

The sharp competition which is on between the steam roads and the trolley roads, which so far has resulted in a serious loss of traffic and profits to the steam roads, is evolving a new system of transportation in the use of motor cars to be operated by gasoline power, to be used on the steam roads and thus secure so far as possible for them all the advantages of the trolley lines.

The new method of treating the common earth roads of the country, as outlined in these notes lately, is spreading with marvelous rapidity all over the northwest. The reports following its introduction into any locality are all of the same tenor—wonderful improvement made in the condition of the highways. The exceeding cheapness and simplicity of the method commend it to every community where bad earth roads exist.

The state of Minnesota has made a great success of the manufacture of binding twine by its convicts at the state penitentiary, the twine manufactured being sold to the farmers of the state at practically cost price, effecting a saving to them which is estimated at $300,000 for the current season. Now, if the flax fiber which at present is produced and goes to waste in the state can be utilized in place of the imported fiber from Manila the farmers of that state will soon have very cheap twine.

The Americans are getting the mutton eating habit. Heretofore they have been wedded to the sirloin steak, but now they are catching on to the merits of the mutton chop. This change in taste means much for the future of the sheep man, for he can produce a pound of mutton just as cheaply as a pound of beef or pork, and in a way cheaper, for the sheep will make good meat out of much food which is generally wasted on the farm, while the income from the wool may be counted anyhow as so much clean profit.

In a western state where the road laws were recently changed compelling the payment of the road tax in cash instead of permitting the farmer to work out his tax in the old way there has been much kicking and protesting, many resenting the change in the law as an innovation which deprived them of an ancient right. However, when the road boss compelled them to work they kicked harder than ever over the fact that they had to work for ten hours and put in a good hard day's work. They are now willing to pay their tax without kicking.

An old man died at a western poorhouse recently, having been an inmate of the institution for seventeen years. The local paper in commenting upon the old man's death said he was an old resident of the place and that during the years of his active life had always been rated as a good citizen, but that, while he had no bad habits, he never was able to save a dollar, and so when old age overtook him there was nowhere for him to go save to the poorhouse. We all of us know of many just such men, not exactly lazy or incompetent, but some way thriftless, just managing to live while they have health and strength, and that's all, and bound to become a burden to their relations or the public when they become old. This ought not so to be. A man has, if he lives to threescore, at least forty working years, and there should be more done in the line of teaching men how to save during these years to prevent old age and poverty from making life miserable for them.

### BUSINESS ON THE FARM.

In any well conducted manufacturing establishment the question of cost of production is very closely studied, and no means are left untried to reduce this cost of production to the lowest possible limit. If a machine will do the work of a man, and, besides, do it better, out goes the man, no matter what may be the cost of the machine, and if a new machine will do the work cheaper than the old one, out goes the old one. We note that there is very little of this thing to be seen on our farms, where the cost of producing farm crops and meats is seldom seriously considered. In fact, but few farmers really know what it costs to produce a bushel of corn, a pound of butter, beef or pork. If at the end of the year they have a little money which no one has a claim on, they figure they are that much ahead. More than this they cannot tell to save their lives about their business. It would be well to make farming more of a business proposition.

A friend captured and tamed two young foxes and they afforded a good deal of amusement to his boys. However, they got loose one night last fall and cleaned up a prize lot of chickens for one of his neighbors, and now our friend has gone out of the fox business.

What publicity will do in exterminating a fraud is well illustrated in the case of the private refrigerator car system. The press of the country so mercilessly exposed the rascality of this trust that it is practically busted, and the railway corporations are installing their own refrigerator service, where all are treated alike.

A reader wishes to know if roosters are essential to egg production in the poultry yard. Only where the eggs are wanted for hatching purposes. Hens will lay just as many eggs without roosters as with them, and the eggs are claimed to keep longer and be better for eating and cooking purposes when the head of the harem is not with the flock.

He plowed well, dragged his field into good shape and planted his corn, but found the middle of May that he must plant all over again just because he had not thought it worth while to know for sure that his seed corn would germinate. The result is that his crop will be late and quite likely will be caught by the frost in the fall before it is matured. He should know better next year, but there are lots of him who won't learn.

We are asked about the veal calf, how soon it should be marketed and how it should be fed. The calf should never go to market until it is at least a month old, and we know of no better way to make it fit for market than to give it all the new milk it will assimilate. The veal calf should never get acquainted with skim milk. The animal is at its best when six or seven weeks old. No man with a conscience will sell veal less than a month old, but lots of men do.

We do not believe that any man who limits his work to just eight hours a day can ever make very much financial headway. The men who make money and get ahead have got to devote more time than this to their work. Theoretically, if a man works eight hours, sleeps eight hours and devotes eight hours to recreation and mental improvement he is doing the right thing, but in this bustling and competitive age eight hours' work will not build up a bank account and get him out of debt.

In the problem of seeking a new home and a new farm there are many things to be considered. We would place first of all the question of the natural fertility of the soil, then climate and length of working season, then cost of clearing and fitting land for cultivation, then the type of people one would have for neighbors, then distance from market. One can obtain every desired advantage except the first named in many of the eastern states, but the poor quality of the soil offsets them all.

The June catch crop often becomes one of the important crops on the farm. There are almost always odd corners and pieces of land which perhaps were too wet for early cultivation and sowing or where the seed may have failed which can be used for a late catch crop. Among the crops which may be used for this purpose are field corn planted thickly for fodder, the several kinds of millet, buckwheat, sorghum, to be cut for fodder. These odds and ends of fields should by all means be thus used; otherwise they become a patch of rank weed growth.

The new method of working the earth roads, recently referred to at length in these notes, is being generally introduced and with the most remarkable success. Wherever tried the plan is most highly commended as being cheap, easy of operation, most adaptable wherever the roads are made of the worst material and most effective in every way in the reconstruction of what has been a bad road into what all admit to be a good one. Many cities and towns are adopting the plan for the care of all unpaved streets and are working wonders. The writer's experience with this method of caring for the earth roads is such that we cannot too strongly urge upon township and municipal officials the benefit to be derived from its adoption. The poll taxes of the average township are sufficient in amount year by year to fully cover the cost of the care of the highways by this plan, leaving all the regular taxes levied and collected to be applied to the building of bridges and culverts and such heavy cutting and filling as the roads of the city or township may require. We can easily see that the rate of taxation may be materially reduced in the near future, and we still have a type of earth roads of such excellence as was never thought to be possible.

### WASTE ACRES.

There is a very large acreage of the best land in the northwest tied up and at present entirely unproductive along the rights of way of the railroads. In fact, it is worse than unproductive, as the cost of cutting the weed growth is a big item of expense to the railway companies. We have always believed that in time, when the roads got on a better financial footing, efforts would be made to improve these rights of way and at least render them attractive if not remunerative. Some of the roads have commenced work along this line, one of the big companies of the west having commenced a system of leasing such rights of way to farmers owning adjoining land at a nominal rental, the conditions being that the land is to be plowed and seeded down to tame grasses and be mowed and kept trimmed up. Something of the same sort should be done with the wagon roads. As it is now, with the four rod road in common use, there is a similar and far more extensive waste of good soil. We can see no good reason why, after the road is properly graded to a width of thirty or forty feet, the rest of the highway should not pass under the control of the adjacent land owner to be cultivated as a part of his field. This plan has been adopted in a few localities with the best results. Waste acres are made thereby productive and the appearance of the highway and the adjoining farms is immensely improved. The progress of the country in the coming years is going to lie along just such lines—the utilization of waste resources.

### FAIR PRICES.

The question is, what are fair prices for farm products and how cheap should a farmer be able to buy the commodities which he needs? Taking it today at the primary markets, hogs are worth about 5 cents per pound; beef, 5 to 6 cents; butter, 23 cents; eggs, 15 cents; corn, 45 cents per bushel; oats, 30 cents; hay, $6 per ton. These commodities produced on land of an average value of say $70 per acre, the farmer pays a hand $25 per month, buys a mower for $37, a harvester for $120, a wagon for $50, a buggy for $40, gets fence wire for 3 cents a pound and twine for 10 cents, pays 4 to 5 per cent interest for money he borrows, and we most seriously question if in all the country's history there has ever been a time when the values of commodities were more nearly balanced, or a time when farming as a business was a better all round proposition. Still there are some men who would like to sell corn for $1 a bushel, buy nails at a cent a pound, and get a hired man for $8 a month, and so they keep an everlasting howl going up at government and the existing order of things.

### OFFAL AS HOG FOOD.

There is a growing protest against the use of animal offal as a food for hogs. The hog is the most cosmopolitan scavenger of any of our domestic animals, save possibly the hen, and, while we are not prepared to say that this catering to the hog's carnivorous tastes unfits him as food for man, the knowledge that he has been so fed and fattened does something to neutralize the fetching flavor of boiled ham, young pig sausage and the toothsome roast pork and apple sauce. Some of the states are legislating against this barbarous method of feeding the pig and propose to confine the brute to a strictly vegetarian diet. This protest is based mostly upon sentiment, for we have never yet heard a similar protest raised against the hen and probably never will, while old biddy is every way as carnivorous and indiscriminate in her feeding as is the hog.

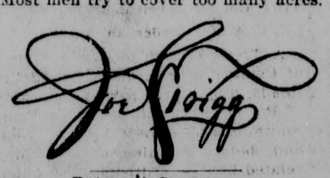
### THE DAIRY COW.

While the cow will do something for any farm where she is kept only as a sort of a side issue, just as poultry is kept, she will do twice as much on that farm where the dairy is made the principal and leading interest of the farm, for then there will be the silo, the better selected type of cow, a careful study of the important matter of the dairy ration and that care in feeding and milking so essential to the best results. This fact is illustrated very plainly in all sections, the small dairy which receives no special care giving a butter product of about 165 pounds per cow per year, while from those dairies where the cows are cared for scientifically the butter product is easily double.

It is remarkable how quickly an old cow's pedigree will come to light when she is run over by the cars.

We are of the opinion that no mistake will be made if you shoot every sparrow, crow and butcher bird you see.

The small farm will nearly always pay a better rate of interest on the money invested than the large farm. Most men try to cover too many acres.



**Paternal Confidence.**

The Young Man (with some embarrassment)—There is one question you haven't asked me yet, Mr. Hurpop. You haven't wanted to know whether or not I think I can make a living for your daughter. The Other Man—That isn't necessary, Henry. She'll see that you make the living, all right, if she's at all like her mother—and I think she is.—Chicago Tribune.

**Marking the Santa Fe Trail.**

The Kansas legislature has appropriated funds to mark permanently the route of the old Santa Fe trail, the famous historic highway of the west, says the New York Tribune. The work will be done under the auspices of the Daughters of the American Revolution. In years to come there will be great interest in the old trail.

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Want your moustache or beard a beautiful brown or rich black? Use **BUCKINGHAM'S DYE** FIFTY CTS. OF DRUGGISTS OR R. P. HALL & CO., NASHUA, N. H.

### WELLS.

Syvellon Tunnicliff, a wide-awake young blacksmith at Gillett, has a young fox about half grown, which is an interesting side issue to the shop.

It is said that Snedecker, Coreyland and Judson Hill telephone line will change from the Bell line to the Farmers' Mutual line after July 1.

Ed. Terwilliger was recently elected sexton of both cemeteries by an entire vote over his opponent, Charles Blodgett. The cemeteries were never in finer shape than at present.

Louis Tillinghast is the proud owner of a handsome young cold from his 1400 pound Clydesdale draft mare, "Fanny."

Mrs. L. C. Boughton of Gillett, is critically ill.

Sammie Pettingill had a streak of sad misfortune last week. His two coons got away. They were nearly full grown and Sammie had them several months.

A very interesting game of base ball was played at Pine City last Saturday afternoon, in which the boys from Wells did up the Pine City boys in fine shape. Pine City had some old and experienced players while our boys were all new at the business. Wells has some excellent material for good players and if S. V. McClellan can be persuaded to take them in hand we will son have some more victories to tell about.

Postmaster E. O. Dewey of Gillett, is having his residence painted. Hoffman Seeley of Pine City and Frank Dewey are doing the painting.

Children's day will be observed at the graded school house next Sunday evening, June 25. Special exercises are being prepared.

**Torture of a Preacher.**

The story of the torture of Rev. O. D. Moore, pastor of the Baptist church, of Harpersville, N. Y., will interest you. He says: "I suffered agonies, because of a persistent cough, resulting from the grip. I had to sleep sitting up in bed. I tried may remedies without relief, until I took Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds, which entirely cured my cough, and saved me from consumption." A grand cure for diseased conditions of Throat and Lungs. At Turner, the druggist; prive 50c and $1.00, guaranteed. Trial bottle free.

### BIG POND.

Mrs. Greely Voorhis came up from Waverly to attend the group meeting and visited her parents several days.

Mrs. Tim Leonard is visiting her father and mother at Sullivan.

Harry Bullock went Monday to Sodus Bay as lineman for the N. C. railroad company.

Miss Alice Voorhis is visiting her cousin Mrs. George Murray at Virtus.

Darius Bullock is again confined to his bed with rheumatism, but a little better at this writing.

C. E. Bullock made a business rip to Elmira Friday.

The ladies of the W. C. T. U. held a group meeting here in the church on Thursday. The speakers were Mrs. Norrish of Sayre, Mrs. Bird of East Smithfield, Mrs. Butler, Mrs. Manley and Mrs. Dwyer of Canton, Mrs. Nettie Berry and Miss Lola Harkness of Berrytown, Rev. and Mrs. Reynolds of Gillett and Mrs. Chamberlain of Springfield. The following ministers gave brief talks: Rev. Turner of East Smithfield, Rev. Ross of Leona, and Rev. Clow of Berrytown. Recitations were given by Mrs. Coral Dunbar, Effie Craney and Gertie Parkhurst, in the evening. Also some music given. Dinner and supper were served in the grange hall and a large crowd was present.

### BAILEY CORNERS.

Orris Bailey of Canton, is visiting his parents for a few days.

Ethel and Virnie King of Sylvania, spent a few days the past week at J. T. and J. W. Bailey's.

N. W. Clark is visiting his son at Towanda.

Mrs. Edith Bailey is ill.

C. J. Youmans has been circulating the paper to get money to get a new harness for L. A. Roberts, who had his harness broken to pieces in a runaway.

Susie Whipple and children visited the past week at Mr. and Mrs. Judd Whipples at Crofut.

Mrs. Hattie Rockwell entertained the L. A. S. for tea Thursday afternoon. Proceeds $2.53. The next one will be with Mrs. Sylvester Rockwell on Thursday, June 29, for dinner.

### HERRICKVILLE.

Mrs. Owen Kendall of Athens, and Miss Cyntha Gustin of Burlington, have been visiting Mrs. G. L. Overpeck.

Mrs. J. L. Emery and Miss Daisy Jacoby spent Wednesday at Asylum.

Mrs. J. C. Mitten spent over Sunday at Camptown.

Raymond McPherson and Arthur Watson of Towanda, were home over Sunday.

Children's day exercises will be held on Sunday evening, June 25.

The Ladies' Aid of Herrick will hold an ice cream social at the home of Mrs. H. B. Landon on Thursday evening, June22. All are cordially invited.

### OAK HILL.

On Thursday of last week the friends and neighbors of H. Holbrook had a bee for him and plowed about eight acres of buckwheat ground for him for which he and his family wish to express their most hearty thanks.

### POWELL.

Miss May McCadden of Forksville, visited her cousins at Thomas Green's last week.

Miss Lizzie Walker is visiting her grandmother at Milan this week.

Philo Finch of New Albany, visited his daughter, Mrs. C. A. Spear, last week.

The school board met Saturday and the same teachers who taught last year were elected, with one change. Miss Ross of Towanda, takes the place of Miss Rockwell.

Children's day will be observed in the Presbyterian church next Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Brown attended the funeral of Mrs. Helen Rockwell at Towanda Sunday.

Walter Melville of the Rochester State hospital, visited his brothers here last week.

Mrs. Bradford McKee of West Franklin, visited friends here and at Monroeton part of last week.

A dance was given Friday evening in honor of Robert Camp and Earl Sickler, who are visiting here for a few days from the U. S. navy.

**A Fearful Fate.**

It is a fearful fate to have to endure the terrible torture of Piles. "I can truthfully say," writes Harry Colson, of Masonville, Ia., "that for Blind, Bleeding, Itching and Protuding Piles, Bucklen's Arnica Salve, is the best cure made." Also best for cuts, burns and injuries. 25c at Turner, the druggist.

### WINDHAM.

Theron Russell is improving and is able to walk around on crutches.

Mrs. Lewis Kuyendall of Candor, is spending a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Wheaton.

Mrs. Lulu Dean and neice, Miss Sailor, of Aurora, were pleasant callers at L. O. Woolcott's, Sunday.

Harry Havens went to Milan last Wednesday and returned on Friday with some nice fish; one weighed 17 pounds.

Will Johnson of Nichols is putting a concrete floor in L. B. Dunham's new chicken house.

Mrs. Floyd Mosher and two children of Elmira are visiting at Dr. Glover's

Edna Stanton is spending a few days with friends in Potterville.

Mr. and Mrs. James Elsbree of Nichols, visited her mother, Mrs. Irene Havens Sunday.

**In Mad Chase.**

Millions rush in mad chase after health, from one extreme of faddism to another, when, if they would only eat good food, and keep their bowels regular with Dr. King's New Life Pills, their troubles would all pass away. Prompt relief and quick cure for liver and stomach trouble. 25c at Turner's drug store; guaranteed.

### BERNICE.

The Children's day exercises held at the Presbyterian church last Sunday morning were well rendered and a large audience attended.

Rev. Dr. Brooks and wife of Wilkes-Barre, are guests of Rev. and Mrs. R. H. Bent of this place.

Mrs. Darius Bullock of Monroeton, visited her daughter, Mrs. P. L. Merithew, a few days last week.

Charles Pflaum of Dushore, is visiting his son, Charles H. Pflaum, of this place, and his daughter, Mrs. Simon Breiger, at LaPorte.

Mrs. Betsey Cass of Dushore is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Benjamin Hilsman, and other relatives and friends.

Miss Maude Bump of New Era, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Joseph Northrup.

Mrs. Charles Collins of Forksville, is visiting Mrs. Harrison Collins.

Mrs. Richard Hannon and daughter, Murrell, of Buffalo, are visiting the lady's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Mahaffey.

### DURELL.

The ball team of this place will hold a strawberry and ice cream festival at the hall. Saturday evening, June 24. A cordial invitation is extended to all.

Mrs. Patrick McGuire of Laddsburg, has been visiting at Russell Miller's the past week.

The festival for the benefit of the Sunday school was a success; proceeds, $14.

Miss Achsah Ellis has gone to Sayre to stay the Summer.

George Kerrick's trusty old farm horse, Billy, died last Saturday.

Ulysses Frisbie of Sayre visited at Frank Frisbie's Sunday.

### GRANVILLE CENTRE.

Helen Struck who works in the shoe factory in Troy, visited her mother, Mrs. Sylvester Putman, last Saturday and Sunday.

Lucy Arnold who works in Troy was home for a few days the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ostler, aged 75 and 76, were here last week from Estelle, to visit friends and attend the convention.

## Lehigh Valley Railroad

In effect May 14, 1905.

TRAINS LEAVE TOWANDA AS FOLLOWS

EASTWARD

12:48 a. m., daily, express for Wilkesbarre Bethlehem, Easton, New York and principa intermediate stations.

7:30 a. m., daily except Sunday, (East Towanda 7:34 a. m.) Local for Wilkesbarre and intermediate stations on main line.

7:35 a. m., daily except Sunday, Washington St. Station 7:40 a. m.) Local for Wilkesbarre and intermediate stations via Berwick with connections for Williamsport.

9:15 a. m., daily, Express for Philadelphia, New York and principal intermediate stations, with connections for Reading and Harrisburg.

10:35 a. m., Sunday only, Local for Tunkhannock and intermediate stations.

1:12 p. m, daily, Limited Express for Philadelphia, New York and principal intermediate stations, with connections for Reading and Harrisburg.

3:38 p. m, daily except Sunday, Black Diamond Express for Wilkesbarre, Philadelphia and New York.

5:23 p m, daily except Sunday, (East Towanda 5:27 p m,) Local for Wilkesbarre and intermediate stations on main line.

8:30 p. m., daily except Sunday, (Washington St. Station 8:38 p. m.) Local for Berwick, Williamsport and intermediate stations.

WESTWARD.

1:30 a m, daily, Limited Express for Rochester, Niagara Falls, Toronto, Detroit, Chicago and the West.

3:11 a m, daily, Express for Buffalo and the West.

10:50 a m, daily except Sunday, (East Towanda 10:40 a m,) Local for Waverly, Elmira, Ithaca, Rochester, Buffalo and intermediate stations.

3:50 p m, Sunday only, Local for Ulster, Milan, Athens and Sayre.

3:02 p m, daily, Local Express for Rochester, Buffalo, Niagara Falls, Detroit Chicago and the West.

4:20 p. m., daily, Western Express for Ithaca, Rochester and Buffalo with connections for Niagara Falls, Toronto, Detroit Chicago and the West.

7:26 p m, daily except Sunday, (East Towanda 7:17 p m,) Local for Waverly, Elmira and intermediate stations.

For further particulars apply to local ticket agents.

CHAS. S. LEE, General Passenger Agent.

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The New Short Line Between Towanda and Williamsport and Between Lehigh Valley R. R. and Pennsylvania R. R.

Time Table in Effect May 15 1905.

| WESTWARD | | | | EASTWARD | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| a m | a m | p m | STATIONS | p m | p m | p m | p m |
| ..... | 9 50 | 2 15 | Ithaca (L.V.R.R.) | 12 40 | 5 55 | ... | |
| ..... | 1223 | ... | Waverly " | 11 40 | 3 42 | 8 15 | |
| ..... | 1250 | 3 15 | Sayre " | 11 20 | 3 20 | 8 00 | |
| ..... | ... | ... | Athens " | 11 16 | 3 25 | 7 56 | |
| 7 15 | 1 15 | 8 48 | Lv. Towanda Ar | 10 00 | 11 50 | 6 00 | |
| 7 24 | 1 32 | 9 07 | Monroeton | 9 50 | 11 18 | 5 50 | |
| 7 27 | 1 37 | 9 07 | Powell | 9 46 | 11 14 | 5 45 | |
| 7 31 | 1 42 | 9 11 | Weston | 9 41 | 11 09 | 5 40 | |
| 7 38 | 1 51 | 9 21 | Lomoka | 9 33 | 11 00 | 5 30 | |
| 7 40 | 1 53 | 9 23 | Long Valley | 9 30 | 10 57 | 5 27 | |
| 7 45 | 2 00 | 9 30 | Barclay | 9 25 | 10 50 | 5 20 | |
| 7 47 | 2 02 | 9 33 | East Laquin | 9 22 | 10 47 | 5 18 | |
| 7 51 | 2 07 | 9 37 | Laquin | 9 18 | 10 43 | 5 13 | |
| 7 59 | 2 15 | 9 44 | Whalen | 9 09 | 10 34 | 5 03 | |
| 8 07 | 2 24 | 9 53 | Cold Spring | 9 01 | 10 25 | 4 53 | |
| 8 18 | 2 35 | 10 07 | Wheelerville | 8 48 | 10 14 | 4 41 | |
| 8 24 | 2 42 | 10 15 | Ellenton | 8 41 | 10 07 | 4 33 | |
| 8 33 | 2 51 | 10 20 | Hillsgrove Junct. | 8 33 | 9 59 | 4 25 | |
| 8 45 | 2 56 | 10 26 | Short Run | 8 27 | 9 53 | 4 19 | |
| 8 52 | 3 01 | 10 32 | Crandalltown | 8 21 | 9 48 | 4 14 | |
| 9 04 | 3 1 | 10 41 | Pleasant Stream | 8 10 | 9 39 | 4 04 | |
| 9 29 | 3 16 | 11 04 | Raiston | 8 00 | 9 30 | 3 57 | |
| 10 50 | 4 09 | ... | Grays Run Y. R. R. | 6 40 | | 3 00 | |
| 10 15 | ... | 6 50 | Williamsport (P.R. | 7 10 | ... | 2 58 | |
| ..... | 4 03 | | Canton " | | 9 05 | ... | |
| ..... | 4 26 | | Troy " | ... | 8 43 | ... | |

One-way and Excursion Tickets in connection with Pennsylvania R. R and Lehigh Valley R. R. trains. S. & N. Y. R. R. passenger trains use the Northern Central Station at Relston, and the Main Line Upper Station of the Lehigh Valley R. R. at Towanda.

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**Attorneys.**

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**Miscellaneous.**

HIRAM E BULL, County Surveyor. Engineering, Surveying and Drafting. Office in Court House.

Misses' $1.50 shoes for $1.19 at the 2, 2½ and 3, Towanda, Pa.

Primary election next Saturday.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK of Towanda, in the State of Pennsylvania, at the close of business May 29, 1905:

RESOURCES.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Loans and discounts | | $ 670,015.25 |
| Overdrafts, secured and unsecured | | 615.90 |
| U. S. Bonds to secure circulation | | 125,000.00 |
| U. S. Bonds on hand | | 2,460.00 |
| Premiums on U. S. Bonds | | 6,820 00 |
| Stocks, securities, etc | | 72,276.97 |
| Banking house, furniture and fixtures | | 16,400.00 |
| Other real estate owned | | 20,225.00 |
| Due from National Banks (not Reserve Agents) | | 16,108.11 |
| Due from State Banks and Bankers | | 4,976.08 |
| Due from approved reserve agents | | 193,939.89 |
| Checks and other cash items | | 4,386 28 |
| Notes of other National Banks | | 2,677.00 |
| Fractional paper currency, nickels, and cents | | 94.76 |
| Lawful Money Reserve in Bank, viz: | | |
| Specie | $36,576.00 | |
| Legal tender notes | 12,715.00 | 49,291.00 |
| Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer (5 per cent of circulation) | | 6,250.00 |
| Total | | $1,191,536.22 |

LIABILITIES.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Capital stock paid in | | $ 125,000.00 |
| Surplus fund | $ 60,000.00 | |
| Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid | 13,779 77 | 73,779 77 |
| National Bank notes outstanding | | 123,600.00 |
| Due to other National Banks | $ 8,666 69 | |
| Dividends unpaid | 500.00 | |
| Individual deposits subject to check | 297,041.42 | |
| Demand certificates of deposit | 559,568 12 | |
| Certified checks | 3,1 9.69 | |
| Cashier's checks outstanding | 735.62 | 869,156.45 |
| Total | | $1,191,536.22 |

State of Penna., County of Bradford, ss:

I, U. M. Fell, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief. U. M. FELL, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 1st day of June, 1905.

H. P. NEWELL, Notary Public.

My commission expires Jan. 16, 1909.

Correct—Attest:

GEO W. KIPP, WILLIAM LITTLE, E. F. KIZER, } Directors.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE CITIZENS NATIONAL BANK of Towanda, in the State of Pennsylvania, at the close of business May 29, 1905:

RESOURCES.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Loans and discounts | | $ 557,049.10 |
| Overdrafts, secured and unsecured | | 312 58 |
| U. S. Bonds to secure circulation | | 150,000.00 |
| Premiums on U. S. Bonds | | 6,750.00 |
| Bonds, securities, etc | | 128,187.50 |
| Banking house, furniture and fixtures | | 30,000.00 |
| Other real estate owned | | 11,925.00 |
| Due from National Banks (not Reserve Agents) | | 13,300.64 |
| Due from State Banks and Bankers | | 5,684.00 |
| Due from approved reserve agents | | 119,410 69 |
| Checks and other cash items | | 3,716.25 |
| Notes of other National Banks | | 5,905.00 |
| Fractional paper currency, nickels and cents | | 339.11 |
| Lawful Money Reserve in Bank, viz: | | |
| Specie | $ 30,185.10 | |
| Legal tender notes | 8,300.00 | 38,485.10 |
| Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer (5 per cent. of circulation) | | 7,500.00 |
| Total | | $1,078,561.37 |

LIABILITIES.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Capital stock paid in | | $ 150,000.00 |
| Surplus fund | | 25,000.00 |
| Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid | | 10 695.89 |
| National Bank notes outstanding | | 148,200.00 |
| Due to other National Banks | | 2,559.93 |
| Dividends unpaid | | 12.00 |
| Individual deposits subject to check | | 322,503.87 |
| Demand certificates of deposit | | 419,171.42 |
| Cashier's checks outstanding | | 1,021.69 |
| Total | | $1,078,564.37 |

State of Penna., County of Bradford, ss:

I, J. K. Newell, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief. J. K. NEWELL, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 1st day of June, 1905.

L. M. OSBORNE, Notary Public.

My commission expires January 19, 1907.

Correct—Attest:

MORRIS SHEPARD, R. A. HORTON, JOHN M. KAHM, } Directors.

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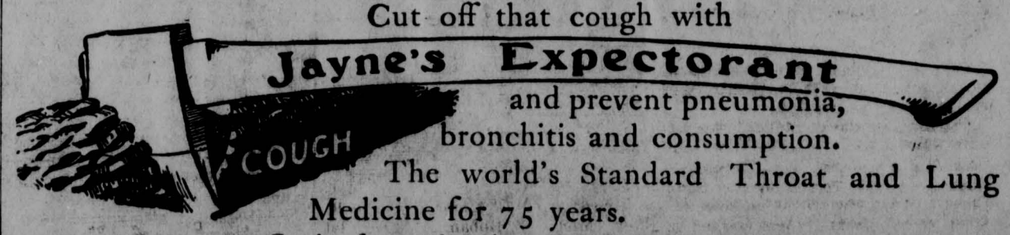


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# PENNSYLVANIA NEWS.

## Happenings All Over the State in Condensed Form.

### SAN JOSE SCALE DAMAGE.

**Shippensburg Orchards Injured by the Pest — Mechanicsburg Man Fell While Picking Cherries—Big Rat Bit Child at York as She Slept.**

Fine orchards near Shippensburg are badly damaged by the San Jose scale.

In order to demonstrate to several companions that he was a snake charmer, Paoli Ucciva, an Italian laborer, picked up a copperhead snake at Safe Harbor. The reptile sank its fangs into the man's arm. He was hurried to a hospital at Lancaster where it is feared he will die.

William C. Walker, of Chester Valley, committed suicide by cutting his throat with a razor back of his father's barn. He was 42 years old and had just returned from a fifteen-year sojourn in St. Louis. Despondency due to business reverses is said to be the motive of the suicide.

At Pumbling Run Reservoir near Pottsville a dozen huge trout of the California rainbow species, with which the dam was stocked ten years ago, have been caught this season. Charles Bernet, with an ordinary line, has caught a fish which measured 24¼ inches.

Jacob Hartzler, of Mechanicsburg met with a painful accident while picking charries at his home. He fell from the tree a distance of twenty-five feet, dislocating the large bone in the right heel, and badly bruised by the fall as well.

A big rat badly bit 4-year-old Grace, daughter of A. C. Myers, while she slept, at York.

Fred drew, a 12-year-old newsboy, who can swim like a water nymph, proved himself a little hero at Chester by saving the life of Kenneth Thompson, 8 years old.

Michael Foley, of Lancaster, has sued the John Shields Construction Company for $15,000 for the loss of his vision through a premature explosion of dynamite.

Damon Cope, the 3-year-old son of Harvey Cope, of Pipersvillle, was crushed to death at Doyleston by falling under the wheels of a wagon loaded with hay.

Jacob Fritz, of Lebanon, died from a gunshot wound in the hip, inflicted at a shooting match at Avon. William Gloss, who accidentally shot him, is severely ill.

Being resisted in an attempt to swallow strychnine in a Lancaster County barroom, Milton S. Sheaffer bit a piece out of the glass containing the drug, and swallowed it, with the poison, insuring his death.

Within 100 yards of his home, along the Lehigh Valley Railroad, near Pittston, Peter Novak, a one-armed man, was killed, both legs being cut off.

Jacob Bootz, an old resident of Shenandoah, was instantly killed at Indian Ridge colliery by a trip of cars.

The York Haven Water and Power company is dredging the Susquehanna for a much deeper channel near its plant.

The Shippensburg school board is deadlocked over the election of a principal, as there are three well backed applications.

Henry C. Merredith, of West Chester has instituted a somewhat peculiar suit against the West Chester Gas company. It is one for damages, alleging that a number of large shade trees on his property were killed because of a leak in a main.

The penalty for kissing in the borough park at Pottsville hereafter will be a night's imprisonment in the lock-up, Chief of Police Davies having decided to act in accordance with a petition from prominent citizens, who asked him to stop "spooning."

The worst rain and flood in years occured at Corry Friday and did thousands of dollars damage.

State pure food agents have decided on a more vigorous crusade than ever for the balance of the year.

An extra charge of embezzlement held Lawyer G. W. Shoemaker, of Philadelphia in jail at Harrisburg.

In court at Coudersport Lougi Demargo was acquited of shooting and killing Henrico Dibocco in a fight at Cross Fork.

While watching companions bathing Samuel Dalins, 10 years old, of Harrisburg, fell from a canal boat and was drowned.

It transpires that in the derailment of the Jersey Central's Scranton flyer at Wilkesbarre Thursday the engine plunged to within a few feet of a car of dynamite. If it had struck the car 60 lives would probably have been snuffed out.

Owing to the illness of County Commissioner R. H. Young, one of the indicted county officials, the case against the indicted commissioner, which was postponed from Tuesday until Friday, has been put over to the September term of court.

Jacob Troup, of New Cumberland, while picking cherries, fell from the tree and suffered a broken back.

Falling from a kitchen roof at Reading four-year-old Larue Deein landed on a picket fence, but escaped with slight injuries.

Walter Kasper, aged 13, returning from Sunday school, joined a party of swimmers near Reading and was drowned.

Edward Dougherty, a boy, was fatally injured while coasting down Upland Hill at Chester. His bicycle collided with the red bridge crossing Chester creek, throwing him down the steep embankment. He sustained internal injuries.

## DEEDS RECORDED.

**With Location of Lands, Names of Parties and Considerations.**

Sayre Boro., Mch. 13, 1905—Fred Lowe and wife to Fred G. Ward; lot, $200.

Albany Twp., Nov. 25, 1903—Fred W. Hatch and wife to Ulysses B. Chilson; lot $200.

Orwell Twp., May 20, 1905—Minnie P. Werkheiser to W. E. Werkheiser; lots $1,100.

Orwell Twp., May 20, 1905—Minnie P. Werkheiser and others to W. E. Werkheiser; lots, $1,100.

Athens Twp., May 20, 1905—Estate of J. B. Wheaton to James H. Mory; lots $1,440.

Athens Boro., May 1, 1905—J. A. Hill and wife to Catherine Kramer; lots, $2,200.

Ulster Twp., May 20, 1905—Horace L. McClelland to Moses Jeffers; lot, $600.

Athens Boro., May, 1905—Edward Herrick to Samuel Herrick; lot $25.

Albany Twp., April 11, 1905—Ida A and John B. Hibbard to Jesse W. Rettberg; lot $1200.

Towanda Boro., Nov. 18, 1904—Mary Russell Abell and D. T. Abell to Jacob and Sarah Allyn; lot $25.

Athens Twp. and Boro., May 9, 1905—Sayre & Athens Real Est. Co. to John Wuff; lots, $450.

Towanda Boro., Mch. 31, 1884—Towanda Cemetery Ass'n. to E. D. Payne; lot, $65.

Albany Twp., Maay 1, 1902—Chas. D. Finan and others to James Finan; lot, $5.

Athens Boro., Maay 17, 1905—Linda M. and D. E. Carmon to Geo. H. Williams; lot, $1600.

Athens Twp., May 5, 1905—Harry K. Crandaall to Paul R. Pritchard; lot $200.

New Albany Boro., Nov. 12, 1891—A. Sterigere and wife to Emma Corbin; lot, $400.

Granville Twp., April 5, 1905—Ami Parkhurst and wife to Reed Parkhurst; 25 aacres, $1.

Sayre Boro., May 20, 1905—Edson A. Rockwell and wife to Simon Davis and others; lot $2000.

Sayre Boro., April 15, 1905—The Sayer Land Co., to William Laamberson; lot $1988.

Sayre Boro., May 18, 1905—Theodore Wickizer and wife to Pearly Post; lot, $300.

Sayre Boro., April 21, 1905—Arvilla and E. M. Thompson to Ella Moyer; lot $2000.

Troy Twp., April 2, 1902—Sarah J. Cole and others to Wm. H. Hickok; 70 acres, 45 perches, $10.

Smithfield Twp., April 19, 1905—Harriet M. Carpenter to L. W. Jenney; 15 acres, 6 4-10 perches, $300.

Athens Boro., Dec. 31, 1904—Athens & Sayre Gas Co., to Charles M. Myer; lot $1000.

Athens Twp., April 9, 1905—Almira Snell to Daaniel O.. Dickerson; 44 acres; $2700.

Sayre Boro., April 25, 1905—Clara A. and E. P. Tewksbury to Bacon Vanderpool; lot $250.

West Burlington and Troy Twps., April 25, 1905—Merton Stanton and others to Lerue Stanton; lots, $810

West Burlington Twp., May 13, 1905—Almira Tate and others to Larue Stanton; 50 acres, $1.

Troy Twp., May 13, 1905—Almira Tate and others to Marvin F. Stanton; 80 acres, $1.

Troy Twp., May 13, 1905—Marvin F. Stanton and others o Almira Tate, 19 acres, 128 8-10 per., $1.

Troy Twp., May 13, 1905—Almira Tate and others to Geo. B. Stanton; 24 acres, 74 per., $1.

Franklin Twp., April 22, 1905—Emma J. Ellis and others to Nelson D. Spencer; lot, $8.

Sayre Boro., May 6, 1904—Lewis Eighmey and wife to Frank Pike and others; $1.

Sayre Boro., Nov. 16, 1904—Leon Smith to M. H. Sawtelle and F. E. Lyford; lot $1.

Sayre Boro., April 6, 1905—M. H. Sawtelle and wife to F. E. Lyford; lot $1.

Sayre Boro., April 6, 1905—F. E. Lyford and wife to The Modern Protective Ass'n.; lot, $10,000.

Athens Twp., May 12, 1905; Harry K. Crandall to Chas. F. McDuffee; lot, $1.

Athens Twp., May 12, 1905—Chas. F. McDuffee to Harry K. Crandall; lots, $1.

Terry Twp., May 15, 1905—Burt R. Kinne and wife to Chas. Vanderpool; 1 acre, $300.

Sayre Boro., June 15, 1905—Donald E. Sinclair and wife to Curtis L. Burlingham; lot $3500.

Rome Twp., April 19, 1905—Wm. J. Simons and wife to S. H. Gillett; 65 acres, $850.

Sayre Boro., Feb. 20, 1905—Ludwig P. Worster and wife to Simon Worster; lot, $100.

Monroe Boro., May 18, 1902—Guy C. Hollon to N. Eisen; lot, $28.22.

Athens Twp., Jan. 23, 1905—Thos. P. Maney to Leonard Champion; lot, $400.

Athens Twp., Maay 3, 1905—Thos. P. Maney to E. A. Vaughn; lot, $200.

Athens Twp., May 19, 1905—Thos. P. Maney to Geo. Ritz; lot, $200.

Ulster Twp., May, 1905—Wm. J. McCabe, Clerk of the Orphans' Court to Servila Higgins; lot, $1000.

Canton Boro., Mch. 19, 1885—David H. Beardsley and others to Jay McKee; lot, $600.

Canton Boro., Mch. 18, 1905—Jay McKee to Mary E. McKee; lot, $600.

Sayre Boro., May 6, 1905—The Sayre Land Co. to Geo. E. Cramer; lot, $1425.

Sheshequin Twp., May 8, 1905—Omer Tompkins and wife to Harry W. French; lots, $1800.

Wells Twp., Oct. 25, 1902—Elizabeth Hatheway and others to Jas. A. Sturdevant; lot, $862.92.

South Waverly Boro., Mch. 20, 1905—Henry A. Howard and others to Rt. Rev. Mich. J. Hoban, trustee; lot, $1178.

## COUNTY REPUBLICANS NOMINATE TICKET.

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resign this office if elected sheriff in November as he undoubtedly will be. Mr. Codding is a vestryman in Christ church and a director in the James H. Hawes Manufacturing company. He was for 11 years a director in the First National bank of Towanda. He is a prominent Mason and has held many of the highest offices in the gift of the local lodge of that body. He is a trustee of the Susquehanna Collegiate Institute. Mr. Codding's training and experience should eminently fit him for the office of sheriff.

### Charles P. Dewey.

Charles P. Dewey, the successful candidate for the office of register and recorder, is a son of the late Walter Dewey of Ridgebury township. Mr. Dewey attended the common schools of his township and then took a business course in Warner's Business college at Elmira. Upon the completion of this course he entered the Tuton store at Bentley Creek as a clerk where he remained for four years. Then he and his brother, E. O. Dewey, opened a new mercantile store at Gillett where they have built up a large business. Mr. Dewey is a member of the P. O. S. of O., and has been an active Republican ever since he could cast a vote. As an endorsement of his candidacy by the people who know him best his record of carrying the townships of South Creek, Ridgebury and Wells without a single vote against him at the recent primaries is something of which Mr. Dewey can well be proud. Mr. Dewey is married and has four daughters.

### W. Frank Waters.

W. Frank Waters, the nominee for county treasurer, is a son of the late Thomas Waters of Burlington township. Frank Waters was born there April 29, 1853. He attended school there when a boy and worked on his father's farm. Fifteen years ago he removed to Athens where he entered the farm implement business which he followed for three years. Then he became an agent for the McCormick Harvesting Machine company and is now with Adraince, Platt & Company of Poughkeepsie. Mr. Waters has been a very active Republican and has taken a keen interest in politics for many years. Mr. Waters won the nomination for county treasurer by a good margin over two other candidates and will be endorsed by a big vote at the elections in November. Mr. Waters is married and has one son.

### Edson D. Harkness.

Edson D. Harkness, who was nominated to succeed himself as county commissioner, will not only bring to the office a successful experience of three years but is personally a highly popular man throughout the county. Mr. Harkness was born in Springfield township Aug. 28, 1855 and comes from the stock which first permanently settled in that section. His father, Stephen D. Harkness, was one of the most prominent men in Bradford county during his life time, having served as county treasurer, also a term as representative in the state legislature and filled the office of associate judge. The family have been life long Republicans from the time of the organization of the party and have been active politically. Mr. Harkness received his education in the Troy graded schools and at Warner's Business college in Elmira. Mr Harkness was for a time a clerk in the prothonotary's office but was taken ill while here and had to return to Springfield. Since that time he has successfully followed farming as an occupation. He has held the offices of town clerk and justice of the peace and is an Odd Fellow and a Granger. He has a wife and three children.

### Langdon H. Marsh.

Langdon H. Marsh is the other nominee for county commissioner. Mr. Marsh ran but a few votes behind Mr. Harkness. Mr. Marsh is the son of the late Hon. J. H. Marsh and was born in Pike township in 1860. His father was for several terms a member of the Pennsylvania legislature and the county commissioner nominee thus comes to his liking for political life naturally. He attended the public schools and took a course in Pelham's Business college at Poughkeepsie. He entered the store of John Howard at Wyalusing as a clerk and since that time has been engaged extensively in farming. He removed to Wyalusing about a year and a half ago. Mr. Marsh has been very active in politics and has a wide circle of friends throughout the country. He is a man of practical business experience and should perform the duties of county comissioner in a competent and careful manner. Mr. Marsh is married and has one child.

### Messrs. Keyes and Gorham.

The successful candidates for the office of county auditors are Alden Keyes of Columbia township and Wilbur Gorham of Orwell. Mr. Keyes is a carpenter and jointer by trade but has followed farming for a number of years past. He has held the office of mercantile appraiser for the county for three different terms and has held a number of township offices. He is a member of the I. O. O. F. Mr. Gorham is a farmer by occupation. He taught school when a young man for five years in this and Luzerne counties. He has been a member of the school board in Orwell township. Mr. Gorham is also a member of the I. O. O. F. Both he and Mr. Keyes will make conscientious officials as county auditors.

### Dr. J. C. Lee.

Dr. J. C. Lee, who was nominated at the convention for county coroner, was born in Herrick township in the Ballibay settlement, Jan. 18, 1871. He is the son of Thomas A. Lee who served the county as jury commissioner for six years. Mr. Lee attended the common schools during boyhood and later the Susquehanna Collegiate Institute at this place. He engaged as teacher and principal of various schools in the county until 1893 when he entered the Baltimore Medical college. From this institution Dr. Lee was graduated April 13, 1897 as first honor man, receiving the faculty gold medal. Dr. Lee then served one year in the Maryland General hospital and for the past seven years has been in continuous practice at Herrick. Dr. Lee's fine career indicates that he will be well qualified to fill the office of coroner of Bradford county.

### Frank Pike.

Frank Pike of Sayre was the only candidate for the office of prothonotary and received a handsome vote at the primaries. Mr. Pike has for several years been recognized as a strong party man and one whose popularity throughout the county would make him a fine candidate. In the hot fight over representatives in 1900 Mr. Pike was defeated but ran way ahead of the others on the same side of the question on which he stood. Mr. Pike was born at Owego, N. Y., in 1853. His parents removed to Islip when he was but six years of age and there he attended school and received a good education in the common grades. He went West when he was 16 years of age and was for several years located in Chicago, Denver and other large cities where he became acquainted with up to date methods of business and with the city spirit of progressiveness. He now conducts a large market at Sayre and has become prominently identified with the business interests of the prosperous valley towns. Mr. Pike has been burgess of Sayre and has a strong following of friends there. He has been prominent in political circles ever since he located in this county.

### List of Delegates.

Alba Boro—A. A. Campbell.
Albany Twp—L. A. Kenyon, C. F. Lyon, J. T. Hested.
Armenia—
Asylum—B. B. Kerrick, B. F. Frisbie.
Athens Boro—1st Ward—E. B. Carner, Clarence Croll, A. C. McCaslin, James L. Sawyer.
Athens Boro—2d Ward—E. M. Crawford, C. E. Mills, A. R. Brown.
Athens Boro—3d Ward—A. C. McGovern, U. G. Frisbie, Chas. Clark, Perry Lawlor.
Athens Boro—4th Ward—Emmett Rockwell, R. A. Owen.
Athens Twp—1st District—F. K. Middaugh.
Athens Twp—2d District—Clarence Doty.
Athens Twp—3d District—A. J. Wheaton, L. E. Hulett.
Athens Twp—4th District—Manson Elsbree.
Barclay—C. E. Payne, W. L. Barclay.
Burlington Boro—L. D. Hill.
Burlington Twp—H. D. Luther, J. O. Nichols, E. W. Wheeler.
Burlington West—M. C. Allen, J. A. Hicks.
Canton Boro—W. C. Sechrist, J. W. Stone, J. A. Innes, G. M. Coons, G. F. Krise.
Canton Twp—1st District—H. C. Stone, E. Clayson, C. C. Brown, E. B. Kelley.
Canton Twp—2d District—J. H. Brown, C. E. Vermilya.
Columbia—1st District—H. D. Garrison, C. P. Hartman.
Columbia—2d District—G. L. Gates, W. H. Snedeker, jr.
Franklin—Torence A. Dodge, Edward I. Johnson.
Granville—L. D. May, Frank Ayres, John May, Chas. Saxton, Seth R. Baxter.
Herrick—W. T. Morrow, E. N. Brown.
LeRaysville—C. H. Benham, John F. Haigh.
LeRoy—W. J. Smith, J. C. Fellows, D. A. Griswold.
Litchfield—Jno. Cotton, D. P. Munn.
Monroe Boro—E. R. Booth, Reed Northup.
Monroe Twp—1st District—Chas. Scott, G. W. Northup, Walter Wardell.
Monroe Twp—2d District—G. A. Northup G. A. Bailey.
New Albany Boro—Sam Estell, George Terry.
Orwell—G. G. Corbin, D. W. Cowles, C. Werkheiser.
Overton—Daniel Hervely.
Pike Twp—1st District—E. J. Atwood, C. J. Ford.
Pike Twp—2d District—H. R. Stevens, N. C. Bennett.
Ridgebury—E. M. Tuton, M. W. Chamberlain, H. K. Craig.
Rome Boro—W. H. Bennett.
Rome Twp—Lester G. Forbes, Miles Merrill, L. W. Towner.
Sayre Boro—1st Ward—T. P. Maney, H. H. Mercereau, Fred Moore, John R. Murray.
Sayre Boro—2d Ward—J. E. Waltman, Jay Bartholomew, Chas. Belbach, John Jones.
Sayre—3d Ward—D. L. Field, H. Haaze.
Sayre Boro—4th Ward—Spencer Broughham, Chas. C. Yocum, J. D. Munn, Wm. N. Lacey, Chas. K. Miles.
Sheshequin—Emerson Vought, A. R. Gillett, D. W. Chaffee, Ed Miller.
Smithfield—W. B. Andrus, S. G. Ansell, J. G. Waldron, D. M. Young.
South Creek—D. H. Alrd, A. H. Dean.
South Waverly—George Kopp, Harry Diltz.
Springfield—H. M. Griffith, J. R. Fanning, F. N. Hubbard.
Standing Stone—S. N. Gordon.
Sylvania Boro—Finley Furman.
Terry—Henry Roberts, W. H. Terry, Charles Lewis.
Towanda Boro—1st Ward—James Bryant, B. T. Hale, E. B. Pierce.
Towanda Boro—2d Ward—C. E. McCracken, David Kaufman, John D. Mercur, Edward Frost.
Towanda Boro—3d Ward—J. N. Califf, Benj. Kuykendall, jr., W. M. Spaulding, Walter Dayton, W. E. Hall.
Towanda Twp—Miss F. Lilley, F. H. Hagerman, J. Wayne Scoville.
Towanda North—B. F. Goodenough, J. B. Taylor.
Troy Boro—J. T. McCollum, Thos. Colony, A. B. Balard, H. C. Rollison.
Troy Twp—1st District A. V. Mason, Nelson A. Maynard.
Troy Twp—2d District—J. R. Vannoy, B. H. Weller.
Tuscarora Twp—Eastern District—H. L. Sturdevant, Ziba Carter.
Tuscarora Twp—Western District—Guy Wells.
Ulster Twp—1st District—O. J. Vanwinkle, J. A. Gilmour, D. B. Brooks.
Ulster Twp—2d District—J. W. Chamberlain.
Warren—J. A. Murphy, C. M. Wolcott, G. G. Manning.
Wells—S. C. Gregg, Will Jennings.
Wilmot—Fred Horton, Fred Brown, Myron Dodge.
Windham—Dee Wickham, Mart Elsbree.
Wyalusing Boro—E. D. Lewis, Ira A. Brown.
Wyalusing Twp—1st District—Thomas M. Stalford, Fisher Welles.
Wyalusing Twp—2d District—H. F. Smith, E. C. Patton, Isaiah Caslebury. (Patton and Castlebury were a tie.)
Wysox Twp—1st District—J. A. Dutcher, M. T. Hollis.
Wysox Twp—2d District—L. J. Waldron.

### Made Up for It.

"Do you remember, love, twenty years ago we sat one moonlight night by this lake? I had my head on your breast and for an hour spoke not a word."

"Yes, and it has never happened again since."

Receiving a new truth is adding new sense.—Liebig.

## CHIEF FENNER OF TROY SHOT BY BURGLARS.

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purpose, making the total reward offered $1,000. Several suspects were taken into custody and examined, but nothing was elicited from them sufficient to hold them. In Elmira two suspects were detained. One of them had several blacksmith's tools which he was endeavoring to sell. Their records will be investigated.

This makes the fourth murder in Bradford county in as many years. In December 1901, Vespasian Mills was shot to death in his barn in North Towanda, last September Maggie Johnson and Annie Benjamin were killed and burned at Macedonia, and now Officer Fenner is the victim of assassins.

Edward M. Fenner was about 50 years of age, and is survived by his wife, four sons and two daughters. He had been an officer in Troy borough for about 12 years and was a most efficient and fearless man. He was an enthusiastic fireman and had been a member and engineer of Oscoluwa Engine and Hose company for many years.

## TROY MURDER SUSPECT ARRESTED AT PORT JERVIS.

**Suspicious Stranger Taken Into Custody There on Saturday.**

Chief of Police Miller received a telephone message from Inspector Kennedy of Elmira, Sunday stating that a suspicious acting stranger had been taken into custody at Port Jervis on Saturday evening on suspicion of being one of the murderers of Officer Fenner.

The man is about 23 years old, five feet five inches tall, and had in his possession dynamite, nitro-glycerine, caps and fuses. He was taken from an Erie train and utterly refuses to give his name or any information concerning himself. He also carried a 38-calibre revolver with two chambers empty.

Port Jervis is 185 miles East of Elmira, and the man, if he is one of the slayers of Officer Fenner could have reached Elmira and there taken an Erie train in ample time to have got so far away from the scen of the crime by Saturday evening. The men operating at Troy are believed to be the same gang who attempted to rob the postoffice at Camptown, and one of whom, Edward King, is now in the Bradford county jail charged with that crime. King has been identified as one of four men who slept in the electric power house at Wyalusing the night before the Camptown job was attempted, and an effort will be made to have the same parties identify the suspect at Port Jervis. The latter was arrested on the strength of telegrams sent out from Troy on Saturday morning.

## OFFICERS FOLLOWING UP CLUES OF TROY MURDER

**Sheriff and Posse Lost Track of Two Suspects in Woods.**

The funeral services for Chief of Police Edward Fenner of Troy, the brave officer who was murdered by persons unknown at an early hour on Saturday morning, were held Monday afternoon from his late home at Troy and were attended by one of the largest crowds who ever were present at a funeral at that place. Business places were all closed and the fire department of which Mr. Fenner was a member turned out in full force.

Some clues concerning the murder are being opened up but none of them have resulted in anything tangible as yet. On Friday evening Mrs. Thomas Orcutt saw two men walking along the railroad track and she heard one of them say: "If we can get in there we will be all right." On Sunday Sheriff Robinson and a posse followed up the tracks of two men who had been seen secreting themselves behind trees and buildings. The men are reported to have tracked over each other's steps, the larger man being ahead and the smaller man in the rear. These tracks were lost in the woods near Wetona.

On Friday Mrs. George Holcomb and son Herbert of Philadelphia were at Troy and that night saw two men, who they think were suspicious characters and they answer the description of the men seen near Wetona. There was a gang of local roughs drinking late on Friday night at Troy and there is a disposition to round up its members to see what they know about the events leading to the murder of Fenner. Two men were arrested at Williwanna but they satisfied the officers that they had not been at Troy and were released.

### Saw Murder in Vision.

A Troy dispatch says that a dream of Comfort Smith, of Columbia Cross Roads, may play a part in the capture of the murderer of Constable Fenner. Smith came to town in the evening, and, before learning of the murder, related how, in a dream the night previous, he had seen his friend, Fenner, fighting a pistol duel in the moonlight, and that one of the three with whom he was fighting was wounded.

The description of one of the men is almost identical with that of a resident of an adjoining town whom the officers suspected previous to hearing Smith's dream, for the reason that this man threatened to "get even" with Fenner because of an arrest.

Another interesting development is the fact of Mrs. Mary Stewart residing on the edge of the town, who was awake about 3 o'clock Saturday morning, when she heard the groaning of a man and the hurried passage of two others, who appeared to be leading or carrying the one who was groaning. In his dream Farmer Smith saw one of the men shot in the arm.

## TOWANDA HAD HER BATTING CLOTHES ON IN GOOD SHAPE.

**McDonald & Snyder Team Defeated by Score of 10 to 1.**

Towanda defeated the McDonald & Snyder base ball team of Wilkesbarre here Tuesday afternoon in a loosely played game by a score of 10 to 1. The visitors claim that their regular pitcher could not come and in his place a gentleman by the name of Croughn went in the box and was touched up for a total of nine hits which netted nine runs. Then in the sixth Pauktiz came in from first base and Towanda let him off easy with two hits and one run.

The Wilkesbarre team opened up in the first with a score. Bergen hit a hot one to Putnam who juggled it. Cotter made a wild pitch and this landed Bergen on third. Walch then flied out to Lynch, Murray fanned, Monday hit and Bergen scored. This ended their successful manoeuvres around the bags. For Towanda Staub got to first on an error in the first and scored on one of Mike Madigan's choice three baggers which set the rooters mad with joy. In the second Lynch knocked out a two bagger and scored on Ryan's single. Five runs were made by the locals in the third. Klinko got first on balls and Kline had his body where the ball was and walked to the initial bag. Again Michael Madigan picked out a winning club and cracked another three bagger into deep right, bringing in Klinko and Kline. Putnam went first on balls and Madigan scored on a bad throw to third. Putnam scored on a muffed third strike and Ryan who made first on the play scored on Staub's hit.

Towanda made two in the fifth. J. Madigan and Ryan hit, Madigan scoring on Cotter's hit which was fumbled at second. Ryan sprinted in after a fly was caught at first. In the seventh Ryan scored on Staub's two bagger. The features of the game besides the plays mentioned were a fine running catch by Klinko, two double plays, M. Madigan to Putnam to Ryan and Lynch to Putnam to Ryan and a hard foul fly caught by J. Madigan who then nailed the runner in a fine throw to third.

**Towanda.**

| | AB. | R. | H. | O. | A. | E. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Staub, lf. | 4 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Klinko, cf. | 3 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Kline, rf. | 4 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| M. Madigan, 3b. | 5 | 1 | 3 | 2 | 2 | 0 |
| Putnam, 2b. | 4 | 1 | 1 | 3 | 2 | 1 |
| Lynch, ss. | 5 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 1 |
| J. Madigan, c. | 5 | 1 | 1 | 10 | 3 | 0 |
| Ryan, 1b. | 3 | 3 | 2 | 9 | 0 | 1 |
| Cotter, p. | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 12 | 0 |
| Totals | 35 | 10 | 11 | 27 | 21 | 3 |

**McDonald & Snyder.**

| | AB. | R. | H. | O. | A. | E. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Bergen, lf. | 4 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 0 |
| Walch, ss. | 3 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 2 | 1 |
| Murray, cf. | 5 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Monday, 3b. | 3 | 0 | 1 | 3 | 2 | 0 |
| Pauktiz, 1b and p. | 4 | 0 | 1 | 7 | 4 | 0 |
| Boyce, rf. | 4 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Berke, 2b. | 4 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 1 |
| Harkens, c. | 4 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 1 | 1 |
| Croughn, p. and 1b | 3 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 5 | 1 |
| Totals | 34 | 1 | 7 | 23 | 14 | 4 |

Score by innings:

Towanda .... 1 1 5 0 2 0 1 0 x—10
McD. & Sny. . 1 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0— 1

Summary: Earned runs, Towanda, 1; W. B., 0; Two base hits, Lynch, M. Madigan, Staub. Three base hits, M. Madigan, 2. Base on balls: Off Cotter, 1; Croughn, 3; Pauktiz 1. Struck out: by Cotter, 8; Croughn, 3; Pauktiz 0. Left on bases, Towanda, 9; W. B., 7. First base on errors, Towanda 3; W. B. 3.

## CHANGE IN LAW.

**Regulation of Sale of Commercial Feeding Stuffs.**

The last legislature so amended the law regulating the sale of concentrated commercial feeding stuffs as to add to the feeds that shall not be sold without having affixed thereto in a conspicuous place a legible and plainly printed statement certifying the number of net pounds of feeding stuff the package contains, the name, brand or trade-mark under which the article is sold, the name and address of the manufacturer or importer, and a statement of the precentage it contains of crude protein of the following.

Corn bran, wheat, rye and buckwheat bran and middlings; also hay, straw and corn stover, when the same are mixed with other materials. In other words, the feeds above named have been added to the list of feeds that cannot be sold without the above cited certificate being attached. This, however, does not, under the provisions of the act, interfere with persons engaged within the state of Pennsylvania in manufacturing flours so as to prevent them from selling at the place where made their own manufacture of bran and middlings, without having the above named certificate attached.

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# NOTES OF GRANGES.

## Items of Interest Contributed by Editor A. T. Lilley.

### THE STATE GRANGE MEETING.

**Sixth Degree to Be Conferred at Meeting in Wellsboro Next Fall—Arrangements Making for the Annual Picnic —Towanda Grange Roll Call.**

(All communications to this column should be addressed to A. T. Lilley, LeRoy, Pa.)

Arrangements are being made to hold a meeting of the officers of the Pennsylvania State Grange, P. of H., in Wellsboro, either in August or September next, for the purpose of conferring the Degree of Flora, the State or Sixth Degree, upon members of this vicinity, Potter, Bradford and Tioga counties. All members wishing to receive this degree will please send their names and addresses to E. R. Mulford, Lock Box 737, Wellsboro, Pa., the secretary of committee of arrangements, or to W. H. Whiting, secretary of Tioga County Pomona Grange No. 30, Wellsboro, Pa.

Tioga Pomona grange will be held at Wellsboro June 22 and 23.

LeRoy school board has reduced the school tax 1½ mills on account of the decreased number of schools, and this year two more schools are to be put together. Fewer and better schools with less tax is what pleases the tax payers.

At the meeting of the directors of the Grange Mutual Fire Insurance Co., held at Troy on the 8th inst., Darius Bullock of Big Pond was reported absent on account of sickness. He has the sympathy of all patrons. The directors were busily engaged in attending to the business and interest of those insured.

The executive committeee of Pomona grange No. 23 are making arrangements for the annual picnic to be held in August at the Troy fair grounds.

Some of the taxpayers do not feel well pleased with the new law concerning rebate on timber lands. It does not go into effect until 1906, and it has been thought will prevent any rebate for the present year.

Who would object to having our election primaries conducted by the usual election boards and having all parties make their nominations at the same time? It would prevent many from attempting to vote at several primaries when they have a right to vote only at one. This way of making nominations is practiced in some parts of the United States, and we see no good reason why our legislature should not enact a law to this effect. It would be to the interests of all parties. The legislature that enacts a law of this kind having proper safe guards will bestow a great blessing upon the people at large.

The Towanda grange roll call of last week proved to be a pleasant and profitable occasion. The attendance was good, the responses varied and entertaining. Fine recitations were rendered by the Misses Theresa Anderson and Carrie Dodge; Joseph Loomis sang a Dutch song; Mrs. J. S. Mott read the "Declaration of Purposes," following with "The Work and Progress of the Order;" Harry Stevens recited a harmonious selection; Misses Lula and Lilly Mott pleased all by rendering a duet from the Grange Melodies; substantial talks were given by Daniel Boyce, C. R. Stone, Z. Y. Dodge, and others, giving reasons for joining the grange, history of the grange in years gone by together with hopes concerning the work for the future. A. B. Carney, A. T. Lilley and others at Open Hand grange were called and gave brief talks on subjects already introduced. Mrs. Daniel Boyce, lecturer, expressed much satisfaction with the results of her efforts to have this meeting prove to be one of success. Cake and lemonade were served when the young people joined in singing several songs. The lecturer of this grange has a fine class to conduct in the grange work and deserves success for her efforts.

The need of the initiative and referendum in still made manifest to every one who studies the recent enactments of our law-makers. The people would like the privilege of having a chance to vote in a way that would have a direct effect on the legislation by which they are to be governed. The people ought to have the privilege to veto any undesirable proposed law. Not a year passes that does not show the folly of letting a few say what our laws shall be. Give the people the right of the initiative and referendum and we would have fewer and better laws, for the people would take time to consider before acting. It is still true: a part of the people may be fooled all of the time, all of the people part of the time but all of the people cannot be fooled all of the time. It is also true that a majority of the people may be fooled a part of the time but not all of the time. The grange stands squarely on this question but should be more active and forceful in the future. Nothing can be gained by putting those in power who will oppose us when we ask for relief in this or any other line of just rights. Right is what the grange asks on this question and we believe the people are in favor of it, but without active effort all is in vain. Nothing short of active work all along on active front will secure the desired end. Thinking, talking and action are required, and it is believed much will be accomplished in the early future.

Invitations are out for the commencement exercises of the Elmira Free Academy, which will occur on Thursday of this week.

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## READ THE RECORD.

In another column are published sketches of the candidates on the Republican ticket, which we are sure will be interesting to all who want to know what manner of men they are. To the record of these candidates the closest scrutiny is invited, for it will be found without blemish. Codding, Pike; Dewey, Waters; Harkness, Marsh, Keyes, Gorham and Lee, all representative men, whose names and careers have been long and honorably identified with the party and the county's material interests. They are, all of them, men whose character and intelligence are beyond question; they were nominated by a vote which left no doubt of the wishes of the people, and no good Republican will have excuse for not giving them his hearty support. Indeed, he is morally bound to do so.

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The arrest of two young girls in the Arcade block raid on Friday evening calls attention to the fact that there are parents in Towanda who are entirely unfit to bring up children. With beer and whiskey in the house and with men joining in the hilarity, virtue in young girls has little chance to flourish. There are reports that there are mothers in Towanda who have deliberately encouraged their daughters to enter upon a life of shame for the sake of getting money. What a disgraceful and awful commentary upon the morals of a certain class of the community! If the girls arrested on Friday and now in the county jail are to have any chance at all of being decent they must be removed at once from their home surroundings.

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The number of American divorces is now unofficially estimated at 50,000 annually, an increase of 100 per cent. in the last 19 years, while population has increased only about 50 per cent. Incomplete state reports indicate what to expect. Indiana, for example, in 1867 granted 1,096 divorces, 1,655 in 1886, and 4,699, or one to every 4.7 marriages, in 1900. Michigan's divorces increased from 446 in 1867 to 1,339 in 1886 and 2,418 in 1900. Ohio granted 901 in 1867 and 3,217 in 1900. Taking the country as a whole, in 1900 it is estimated that there was one divorce to every fifteen marriages.

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Recently physical tests in the primary grades of New York's schools reveal the startling fact that out of 34,000 children, 9,000 had defective vision. This is a condition far exceeding anything the inspectors expected to find, and it is arousing much alarm. The sight is too precious to be neglected and parents and teachers alike should make a careful study of the children in their charge to check the first signs of poor sight. New York's proportion is necessarily larger on account of its large foreign population, but many children are deemed backward who really see badly.

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William E. Curtis has discovered a tendency among Protestant churches to employ paid Sunday school teachers and superintendents—men and women who are specialists in such work, who have been educated for it, and are willing to give their time to it. The idea is new but Curtis predicts that it is bound to become popular among churches which can afford it. Edward Hooker Knight, dean of the Hartford School of Religious Pedagogy, says that they are beginning to pay the teachers also.

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The Post Office authorities have a novel case to consider in that of a young woman out in Nebraska who has the engagement ring fad in an aggressive form. She has corresponded with hundreds of suitors through matrimonial agencies and other bureaus, becoming engaged to scores of them. Her plan was to bring the matter up to the ring stage and then to stop. A full halt has been made at discovery of her use of mails. The young woman is certainly a ringer.

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Now that the straw hat season has set in let us be careful not to abuse the privileges which accompany it. A straw hat that has been cleaned for more than three seasons is not exchangeable on any moral ground for one that was new last year.—Chicago Inter Ocean.

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Postmaster General Corteiyou is a fine pianist. It is said that at one time he seriously considered the idea of making music his profession.

## SELFISH SUBLIMITY.

June is the month of roses, the month of weddings and the month of the death knell of selfishness. This last phase of the question is somewhat interesting. Archibald and Genevieve have been casting glances and heaving sighs for many months past. The neighbors have watched the ardent swain through the blinds as he wends his happy hurried way to the home of his flame. The youth and his lady love have driven long drives, they have read books, they have been consumed by the fires of the green eyed monster and monstress.

They have been the happiest creatures that ever lived and they probably have been the most selfish. Archibald has given up every interest that he ever had for the company of Genevieve and Genevieve has surrendered every idea that she ever had and submerged it into the likes and dislikes of Archibald, or vica versa. There was once a couple who were climbing up the golden stairs of engagement and whenever they had Sunday night supper together, Archibald was always given the white meat of the chicken while Genevieve took the dark meat. After they were married it was discovered that Archibald hated white meat and Genevieve didn't like anything else but the white meat. Both were keeping still because they thought they were giving the other one the desired morsel.

And so it goes, each one being treated with outlandish consideration like a king and queen, having every possible wish gratified before it was expressed—and then comes the wedding and the poor creatures soon find that the other one really did have some notions of his or her own after all and the bubble of egotistical selfishness which couldn't live if it had nine lives is bursted and the young couple begin a safe and sane existence which has in it some possibilities of usefulness to the public in general and to themselves in particular. But who would do away with the roses and the weddings and the period of sublime selfishness?

## BRADFORD'S CANDIDATE.

Bradford will present to the next State Republican convention the name of our townsman, Hon. Mial E. Lilley, as its candidate for governor. He will go into the nominating convention with the endorsement of a number of other of the Northern tier counties and his friends will leave nothing undone to secure his success.

In presenting the name of Mr. Lilley for the high and honorable office the Republicans of this county do so with full realization of its great responsibilities and its great requirements both as to capability and character of the occupant, and they offer his name with full confidence that he will meet all of these demands. His ability, experience, courage and faculty of succeeding in what he undertakes, is an assurance that as chief executive of the great commonwealth he would display the same qualities that have distinguished his career in positions less exalted.

We believe, also, that it is time that the claims of the great Republican stronghold which have never yet been recognized by the nomination of a governor should be remembered and rewarded. With that end in view the name of Mr. Lilley will be presented to the state convention, and for his nomination his friends will labor earnestly, and unceasingly until the convention convenes.

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President Woodrow Wilson, of Princeton, has filed a brief in favor of "newspaper English" by way of reply to Henry James, the novelist. Those who sneer at the distinctive style which has come to be regarded as pecularly adapted to the requirements of the daily newspapers, find no sympathizer in the President of Princeton. They forget, he says, that language is only a means to an end and fail to see how well that end is subserved by the terse clear English employed by reporters. No one, he adds, need be afraid to spoil his taste for good English by reading newspapers. Here's to you, Sir Henry.

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The Scranton Times is to have a new and larger home at 220-222-224 Spruce street, Scranton. Work on the building, which will be one of the finest and most up-to-date newspaper offices in this end of the state, has already begun. The contract calls for the completion of the building in the early fall, when the Times will have rounded out a full decade under its present efficient management.

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Breathes there a man with soul so dead, who never to himself has said, "I'll pay before I go to bed, the debt I owe the printer!" There are some we know full well, who never such a tale can tell; but they, we fear will go to—well, the place where there's no winter.—Exchange.

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Stanford University is in trouble because, among thirty-eight students whose registration in the university was canceled because of deficiences in scholarships are the best football players.

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In these bombastic days it is well to know how to come in out of the rain.

## SMOKING IN YOUTH.

Smoking in youth, says the Philadelphia Medical Bulletin, is to be deprecated on every ground. It interferes with the proper action and enfeebles the heart, impairs the development of the nervous system, disturbs digestion, lessens the power of mental application and prevents the growth of the body. In discussing the reports of the principals of the public schools Superintendent Brooks, showing that more than 6,000 school boys of Philadelphia use tobacco, the Bulletin says; "In nearly every case the smokers were found to stand below the average in their classes. In one ward the enormous proportion of nearly one-half of the boys in attendance are smokers."

The Medical Bulletin contends that the practice is equally objectionable on moral grounds, inasmuch as the boys would not be permitted to smoke at home, and the consequence is they sneak away into nooks and corners, meet bad companions, become untruthful and generally demoralized.

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President Woodrow Wilson delivered one of the most practical baccalaureate addresses to his Princeton students that ever came from the chief of a great university, says Julius Chambers in the Pittsburg Dispatch. "It contained more religion than all the sermons I find reported in the newspapers of yesterday morning. Briefly, his thought is that the Almighty has committed to us a body that is to be cared for as well as our soul. He talked to his students about health! The brightest intellects prove valueless, he explained, unless the health of the body be maintained. He extolled the value of athletic exercise, the priceless worth of fresh air and the benefits of a pure life. The best thing, he said, was that there can be no happiness without health. Taken altogether it probably was the best bit of practical advice ever given to a lot of young men leaving alma mater to begin the struggle in the great, round world."

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The big Morris Run strike is at last ended as a result of the negotiations between William B. Wilson, secretary and treasurer of the United mine workers and Lewis P. Miller on the part of the company. The principal feature of the terms of settlement is the price for mining. It is fixed at 81 cents for 2,150 pounds. The strikers' proposition was 85 cents for 2,240 pounds. The strikers return to work, every man, so far as practical, occupies his former dwelling and resumes his former place of work in the mines. Drivers and all other laborers receive the Altoona scale. The miners accept ten per cent. reduction on yardage. The settlement of the trouble will be welcomed on all sides.

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Usually an exposition is disappointed during its early days by reason of an attendance falling far below expectations, but this is not the case with the Lewis and Clark exposition at Portland. During the first week the admissions were 99,275. These included the remarkably large attendance of 39,577 on the opening day. But the average for the first week, exclusive of the opening day, was 10,608. This is considered remarkable, in view of the general tendency of the public to wait several weeks after the opening of a fair, on the presumption that there will be more to see later.

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About 100 members of Lincoln Park Institutional Baptist church at Cincinnati have been summarily expelled for failure to pay their church dues. This action, unprecedented in Cincinnati's church history, was taken by public vote of the church members. Other members will also be expelled if they become delinquent in their payments, Pastor R. G. Robbins announces. "If a member can and does not pay he cannot and does not pray," Dr. Robbins holds. The expelled members form about one-tenth of the entire congregation of over 1000.

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Chairman Wesley R. Andrews, of the Republican State Committee, has announced the appointment of the following members-at-large of the Republican state committee: Boies Penrose, Philadelphia; George T. Oliver, Allegheny county; William B. Meech, Dauphin; C. F. Wright, Susquehanna; J. C. Sturdevant, Crawford; L. A. Waters Lackawanna; E. H. Owlett, Tioga; David H. Lane, Lehigh; James H. Lambert, Philadelphia; General Charles Miller, Vernango, and Hiram Young, York.

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New York is aroused over the fact that 125 persons died laast week in that city from organic heart disease, when the death rate the corresponding week in 1904 was only 56. This revelation has given rise to the belief among physicians that New York residents are living too rapidly. The strain of business cares attendant on fierce competition and the worry attendant and the anxiety to gain wealth are given as the explanation by physicians of the conditions which exist in the metropolis today.

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Now is the time when the housekeeper and the iceman have their spats over the size of the chunks of frigid comfort.

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**Buyers read the Reporter-Journal.**

## A HIGHLY USEFUL DEPARTMENT.

A Washington correspondent complains that the Agricultural department is growing in its expenses as well as in usefulness. And he also says that the statesmen who are looking around to cut down expenses have learned to keep hands off the Agricultural department, for that is regarded as exclusively the department of the farmers, and any interference with it interferes with the farmers.

While the Agricultural department may be expensive, and a department of growing expenses as it is a growing department, its value is unmistakable. It is, as it professes to be, the department of the farmers. Its experiments with grains and fertilizers have materially increaed the productiveness of every farm in the United States, and the weather bureau reports save millions of dollars worth of property from destruction every year. There is practical intelligence in that department from head to foot, and its benefits are far more than it cost. As long as its usefulness increases in proportion to its expense little fault will be found by the general public.

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## LEAVE NO STONE UNTURNED.

Another foul murder has occurred in Bradford county. Policeman Fenner of Troy was found Saturday morning dead, with three bullet holes in his body. Within the past four years four murders have occurred in this county. M. Vespasian Mills of North Towanda was shot down in cold blood in his barn at North Towanda and his assassin still breathes the air of freedom and the murder goes unpunished. Mag B. Johnson and little Annie Benjamin were murdered at Macedonia in September 1905 and two men stand convicted of the crime; now an officer in the performance of his duty is shot down.

Sheriff Robinson has already begun work on the last case and he is being assisted by the district attorney and the county detective and other officers. No stone should be left unturned which will bring the guilty parties to justice. The men who shot Policeman Fenner must be apprehended and punished for their fiendishness.

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In his letter accepting the proffered trusteeship of the Equitable Life Assurance Society, Former President Cleveland says very truely: "I cannot rid myself of the belief that what has overtaken this company is liable to happen to other insurance companies and fiduciary organizations as long as lax ideas of responsibility in places of trust are tolerated by our people. The high pressure of speculation, the madness of inordinate business scheming, and the chances taken in new and uncertain enterprises, are too often successful in leading managers and directors away from scrupulous loyalty and fidelity to the interests of others confided to their care. We can better afford to slacken our pace to abandon our old, simple American standards of honesty." True, every word of it, and the sooner the American people come to realize it the better it will be in the long run. And this applies not only to big schemes, but to small ones as well. It pays to be honest and reliable; besides it's the right thing to do, whether it pays in dollars and cents or not.

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The Citizens' Union, of New York city has declared in favor of municipal ownership of all gas and electric light plants, telephones and street privileges generally. That sentiment is likely to come up in New York city with much strength.

## WARRENHAM.

Miss Nellie Dewing returned home from Binghamton Wednesday

Rev. and Mrs. R. M. Jones spent Thursday at Owego.

Mrs. Herbert Fuller and children visited at Willis Bowen's Friday.

Mrs. Nancy B. Young and Mrs. Anna Young attended a birthday party at David Brainard's Friday.

Harry Dewing is spending a few days in Binghamton.

Miss Louise Pitcher of Little Meadows spent Saturday at R. L. Beardslee's.

### Addresses to Young People.

Mrs. D. C. Geggie, one of the most efficient workers among the young people of the Methodist church, spent Saturday and Sunday in Towanda, and delivered two stirring addresses to the young people. In the morning her remarks were especially directed to the young women. In the evening the young people's mass meeting was prevented by the heavy storm and only about 50 persons heard her address. Mrs. Geggie, who is the national secretary of the Womans Home Missionary society of the church, took for her subject "Our Country's Probbiems and Its Privileges," and in a charmingly delivered address earnestly pointed out the duty and the privileges of the young people in the church, and everywhere, in helping to settle in the best way the problems that constantly arise. Mrs. Geggie spoke in Towanda last April along the same lines and won for herself many friends here.

### Base Ball Friday.

The Towanda baseball team will play the Lestershire team here on Friday afternoon. The game will be called at 3:15 o'clock.

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**Lost? Find it with a small ad.**

## NO S. C. I. COMMENCEMENT.

### Death of Principal C. R. Stiles Prevents Closing Exercises.

Mrs. Stiles wishes to announce to the friends of the Susquehanna Collegiate Institute and to the patrons of the school, that owing o the great sorrow which has come to the school as well as to her own heart, she will out of respect to Mr. Stiles omit all commencement exercises, but she at the same time wishes to announce to them that Miss Edna R. Mather of Ulster has with honor to herself and to the school completed the work of the classical course and will today be graduated from the school.

The alumni may well be proud to receive Miss Mathers into its membership for in her they will find all the many desirable traits of character which make up a cultured and womanly Christian girl. She today leaves the school taking with her the love and respect of both faculty and students. Miss Mather will enter Mt. Holyoke in the fall, and we wish for her a successful and happy year.

Mrs. Stiles also wishes to thank the many friends who by their sympathy and acts of kindness have so greatly assisted her, and to say to them that though she now severs her connection with the institute she hopes still to retain their friendship, and will upon her return to Towanda be most pleased to see them at her home corner Bridge and Third streets.

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## PROPOSALS FOR BRIDGES.

Proposals for six highway bridges in Bradford County, Pa. Sealed proposals will be received at the office of the County Commissioners, at Towanda, Pa., on the 14th day of July, 1905, until 2 o'clock p. m. for the superstructures of the following bridges:—

No. 1 Bridge over Rummerfield Creek, Standing Stone Township. 60 ft. C to C in length. 16 ft. roadway.

No. 2 Bridge over North Branch of Sugar Creek, Troy Township. 55 ft. C to C in length. 20 ft. roadway.

No. 3 Bridge over Towanda Creek, in LeRoy Township. 125 ft. C to C in length. 16 ft. roadway.

No. 4 Bridge over Seeley Creek, in Wells Township. 75 ft. C to C in length. 16 ft. roadway

No. 5 Bridge over Mill Creek, Springfield Township. 100 ft. C to C in length. 16 ft. roadway.

No. 6 Bridge over Milan Creek, Ulster Township. 52 ft. C to C in length. 18 ft. roadway.

Plans and specifications for above work on file in the Commissioners' office. Bids also received on plans furnished by the bidder. A certified check of $200 will be required with the bid on each bridge. The right is reserved to reject any or all bids.

Proposals for the substructures of above bridges will be received on July 13th, 1905, until 2 o'clock, p. m. Plans for same with specifications may be examined at the office of the County Commissioners.

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The Kinney House is being repainted.

W. Hoyt Tracy is home from Cornell for the Summer recess.

H. G. Paget and family of Syracuse are spending a couple of weeks here.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Howe of Orwell were registered at Ochs hotel Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Howe of Rummerfield were Ochs hotel guests Tuesday.

Mrs. L. D. Hay and daughter Marguerite are spending two weeks in Pottsville.

Elmer Brock of Athens is spending a few weeks with his sister, Mrs. Fessenden, here.

Miss Neilie Bartz of Wayland, is visiting Mrs. William Essenwine on Kingsury avenue.

Mrs. E. W. Gaylord has just returned from a three weeks' visit with her parents in LeRaysville.

Miss Isabella Woodburn, who has been teaching at Corning, returned home Tuesday evening.

Mrs. C. G. Myers, mother of Mrs. William L. Jennings, died at Lopez on June 10, aged 61 years.

Mrs. James H. Rhodes of Chicago, is a guest of Mrs. M. E. Manney at Mrs. Abell's on Second street.

Abram Williams of Sayre, has been granted an increase of pension to $12 per month to date from March 1.

Howard E. Knott, the five years old son of Sidney Knott, died of diphtheria at his home in Sayre on Monday.

Mrs. James West and daughter Ethel of Sayre, have been spending several days with friends in Towanda.

Mrs. B. F. Dunfee was discharged from the hospital at Sayre and returner to her home in Towanda on Saturday.

Harry Green, of Towanda, is employed by the Lehigh Valley in the construction of their new depot at Montrose.

Fred Place, the man injured in the S. & N. Y. wreck recently, was discharged from the hospital at Sayre on Friday.

Dr. and Mrs. S. M. Woodburn returned Monday evening from a trip to State College and other places in Pennsylvania.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Luther Hoagland, of East Canton, on Wednesday, June 14, twin daughters. Weight 6¼ and 8 pounds.

Mrs. Mary Bowman of Forkston, is visiting her son, O. B. Farr, in Towanda. Mrs. Bowman celebrates her 82d birthday today.

Harry Lenz, an old friend of James Walbridge, whom that gentleman knew in Chicago, called on Mr. Walbridge Tuesday.

The Howard Elmer Hose company of Sayre fair ended last Saturday evening and the company finds itself the gainer by about $500.

George and Seth Dayton entertained about 20 of their friends at the Dayton place, "Stony croft," in Litchfield township Tuesday.

Leon H. Stedge of this place was elected alternate delegate at the state camp of the Sons of Veterans in session at Milton last week.

William Frazer, who has been operating in coal at Carbon Run, left last week for a two months' visit at his old home in Nova Scotia.

Perry Johnson, who has connections in this section, was convicted of burglary at Owego last week and sentenced to three years in Auburn prison.

Miss Christine Eilenberger and her guest, Miss Halliday of New Orleans, are to attend the Senior week exercises at Cornell university this week.

Marshall S. Reynolds, of Tunkhannock, son of Mr. and Mrs. N. W. Reynolds, is a member of this year's graduating class in the law department of the University of Pennsylvania.

A special guest of the Senior class at their banquet on Wednesday evening was Miss Rose Corbett. Miss Corbett is an exceptionally fine pianist and had assisted in drilling the class in their songs.

A barn belonging to Frank S. Morley on the old homestead near the pumping station at Athens, was struck by lightning on Sunday evening and burned to the ground. Loss about $500 with no insurance.

Mrs. W. F. Humphrey gave a tin shower for Miss Annie G. Frost Friday afternoon. Miss Frost's wedding to Clay W. Scheide of Lima, Ohio, occurs next Wednesday evening at the First Presbyterian church.

Edward Reed of Wysox, who graduated last week from the medical department of the University of Pennsylvania, is camping and fishing in Sullivan county with Dr. Holcomb and son and a company of Athens men.

George Rockwell of North Towanda, comes to the front with a sample dozen of the biggest, reddest, juciest strawberries seen up to date. He has a small patch for home use that is producing some wonderfully large fruit.

Captain and Mrs. Andrew Wilt and Miss Mary Wilt went on Friday to Easton to attend commencement at Lafayette college next week, when Leo Wilt is to graduate. Mr. Wilt will also attend to some G. A. R. business pertaining to his office of department commander.

## UNITED STATES SENATOR PENROSE TO SPEAK HERE.

**Distinguished Pennsylvanian Has Consented to Attend the Fair.**

Secrettary C. M. Culver of the Bradford county Agricultural society, has secured a promise from United States Senator Boies Penrose to come to Towanda on Friday, the last day of the county fair, and make an address. The managers of the agricultural society are already taking vigorous steps to make the fair of 1905 one of the biggest ever held in the county, and the presence of such a distinguished Pennsylvanian as Senator Penrose will prove a big attraction.

Secretary Culver is also in correspondence with several other prominent public men and expects to have one other notable speaker here during the fair.

## MYSTERIOUS ARREST AT TROY.

**Eight Men Chased and Wounded a Fleeing Man—A Queer Story.**

Monday afternoon a posse of eight men, who said they were from Blossburg, arrested in the edge of the woods on the Hickok farm, a mile and a half from Troy, a man who was fleeing from them and who surrendered only after being shot in the leg. They loaded the wounded man into a wagon and drove off. When we asked the Blossburg Advertiser today for the man's name and offense they knew nothing of the arrest, nor is any information obtainable from the Sheriff's office at Wellsboro, as we go to press. The pursuing party said the man was wanted for shooting the landlord or storekeeper at Fall Brook.—Gazette-Register.

### Invitations Issued.

Mr. and Mrs. John Jackson of Williamsport have issued invitations to the marriage of their daughter Sadie to Richard E. Powell on Thursday, June 29, at 8 o'clock at Bethel church at Williamsport. Mr. and Mrs. Powell will be at home at 2,703 Bedford avenue, Pittsburg, after July 15. Mr. Powell is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Elias Powell of this place and is a former popular Towanda young man. He is connected with the Carnegie museum of Pittsburg.

### Notes of the Courts.

W. C. May and Llewellyn Harris, both of Towanda, have been appointed tipstaves in the Bradford county courts.

W. H. Bradford has been appointed tax collector in Columbia township to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Lyman McClure.

Divorces have been granted in the suits of Henry E. Walker vs. Lucretia Walker and Anna Kennedy vs. George Kennedy.

### Is Now Lieutenant.

Will H. Hawes, who for the past four years has been attending the United States military academy at West Point, is visiting his mother, Mrs. Katherine Hawes, on York avenue. Mr. Hawes has just been graduated from the famous academy. He holds the rank of lieutenant. He has a furlough until September before being assigned to regular duties.

### Employe Hurt.

Last week Thursday afternoon, Elmer C. Warner, an employe in Bailey's foundry at ReRaysville was hit by pieces of an emery wheel and will be laid up for some time. A piece of the wheel struck his arm just above the wrist and broke the radius bone twice and the ulna once and tore the flesh frightfully.

### Three Thousand Bushels Peaches.

Edward Horton of East Canton, is probably the largest and most successful grower of peaches in this section of the state. He has an orchard of 3000 trees, and this week he stated that if no storms or bad luck interfered he would pick an average of one bushel from each tree.

### Passed Rural Examinations.

Those of the Durell graded school who successfully passed Superintendent Putnam's rural school examinations were Roland Benjamin, Howard Kerrick, Sheldon Kerrick, Josie Frisbie, Mildred Kerrick, Sadie Ackley, Adaline Benjamin and Ethel Johnson.

### Prize Winning Strawberries.

J. O. Nichols of Mt. Lake, brought to this office Thursday a box of the handsomest strawberries seen this season. The berries were very large, and surprisingly uniform in shape and size. Mr. Nichols has about 1,200 plants.

### Son Discharged.

Valentine Bailey of Overshot, who was charged by his father, Andrew Bailey with assault and battery and surety of the peace, was discharged before Justice Orcutt Monday. The father had claimed that the son struck him with a piece of wood June 8.

### Resolutions of Respect.

Burlington Lodge, No. 904, I. O. O. F., at a regular meeting held on June 17, adopted resolutions of respect to the memory of Past Grand Robert M. Knapp. The committee on resolutions were Geo. J. Schwoerer, D. A. Ross, and J. H. Hill.

### Mr. Thompson a Graduate.

This office is in receipt of a handsome invitation to the commencement exercises of the department of law of the University of Michigan. Claude A. Thompson of Towanda township is a member of this year's class at the well known school.

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# DEATH ROLL OF A WEEK

### Almon C. Decker.

Almon C. Decker, whose death occured at his home in Tuscarora June 2, was born Sept. 16, 1836 at the old Dexter homestead where his entire life was spent except the past year. He was the son of John and Phebe Gray Dexter who were among the early pioners of Tuscarora township. The family of John Dexter consisted of nine children of which Almon C. was the 7th. It is a remarkable fact that of this large family none have died under 60 years and all but one have passed that age. Like his father Almond was also the father of nine children, all of whom were born on the same farm where all his father's family were born.

In 1869 he was married to Miss Anna N. Roberts of LeRaysville who has faithfully stood by his side and cheerfully borne the burdens incident to the rearing of a large family. She with all the children survive him.

During that critical period when our state was invaded by a powerful foe and the fate of government seemed to tremble in the balance he voluntarily risked his life in defence of the state and nation. He was a member of the G. A. R. who stood guard and acted as pallbearers at his funeral.

Mr. Dexter was a man of more than ordinary mental endowments. Independent in thought and well informed he had decided opinions on disputed topics and was able to defend his views with logical force. His religious views were not strictly orthodox perhaps but in harmony with the fundemental principles of revealed truth with which he was familiar.

### John F. Satterlee.

John F. Satterlee of Monroeton, died on Monday night at the Danville State hospital, where he had been under treatment for about a year. He was taken seriously ill on Sunday at noon. Funeral services will be held at the family home in Monroeton on Friday morning at 9:30, and the body will be taken to Athens on the morning train, where burial with Masonic rites will be had in Tioga Point cemetery.

John Franklin Satterlee was the son of John Franklin Satterlee, Sr., and was born in Athens on April 14, 1829. He spent his boyhood on his father's farm and was educated in the Athens High school. He was married in 1853, to Lucy E. Booth of Candor, N. Y., who with two children, Mrs. Robert B. Drake of Monroeton, and Robert H. Satterlee of Chicago, survive him. Mr. Satterlee moved to Monroeton in 1869 and engaged in lumbering. In 1889 he was appointed to a position in the general land office, and served in various sections of the West and South for some years. He was a member of Rural Amity Lodge of Athens.

### Mrs. Eliza Porter.

Mrs. Eliza Betts Porter, widow of Dr. Henry C. Porter of Towanda, died Monday morning in Philadelphia, in yesterday morning in Philadelphia, in her 75th year. Mrs. Porter was the daughter of the late Noble Betts, and was born in Towanda and lived all of her married life here. After the death of her husband she moved to Philadelphia 24 years ago; for a few years she resided in Boston and spent one year abroad in Dresden, returning to Philadelphia to make her home.

She is survived by two sons, Henry C. Porter of Towanda, H. Charles Porter of Philadelphia, and one daughter, Miss Charlotte Porter of Boston. N. N. Betts of Towanda, is a brother. The remains will be brought to Towanda for interment.

### Death of J. A. Hartranft.

J. A. Hartranft, a well-known resident and business man of Canton, died after an illness of about a year, about 6:30 o'clock on Wednesday afternoon, June 14.

He was a blacksmith, and for nearly 30 years had conducted business there. In recent years he was a partner in the wagon business of Dunbar & Hartranft, and was honored by all who knew him for his sterling business qualities. He is survived by his wife and two children, Mrs. Harry Rogers, of Altoona, and Leon Hartranft of that place.

The funeral was held from the family residence on Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

### Death of Mrs. Helen Rockwell.

Mrs. Helen Walborn Rockwell, widow of Homer Rockwell, died Friday afternoon at 3 o'clock, at the home of her father on South Third street, aged 40 years. She had been ill wih consumption for a long time. Funeral services were held at the house on Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock, with interment in Riverside cemetery.

### Died at Hospital.

Mrs. Flora Terry, wife of John Terry of New Albany, died at the hospital at Sayre on Saturday evening, following a brief illness.. Mrs. Terry was admitted to the hospital during the forepart of the week and shortly afterwards submitted to an operation. Death was due to heart failure. She is survived by her husband and six children.

### Obediah Smith.

Obediah Smith died at his home in Sylvania, June 7. Interment in the Gray Valley cemetery beside his wife, who preceded him to the better land seven years ago. If he had lived until Nov. 4 next, he would have been 90 years of age.

### Ola Devine.

Ola Devine, youngest daughter of Theodore Devine of Ford street, Pike township, died on June 16 after an illness of several months with Bright's disease.

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## VERDICT FOR $2,000 RENDERED IN DALTON CASE.

**Damage Case Against Towanda Borough Occupied Court Last Week.**

The jury in the damage suit of James Dalton against Towanda borough, which occupied the attention of Judge Cameron and jury all of last week, on Saturday evening returned a verdict of $2,000 in favor of Mr. Dalton. The suit was brought to recover for injuries received by burns suffered through an explosion of mill dust while Mr. Dalton, then an employe of the borough, was making an examination of the Cash creek sewer.

On the morning of Sept. 17, 1897, Mr. Dalton was sent into the mouth of the Cash creek sewer to make an examination. He carried a light and when he reached a point where the fine dust from the J. O. Frost's Son's furniture factory is blown into the archway covering the creek, there was a terrible explosion. Mr. Dalton was terribly burned and was laid up with his injuries a long time.. In the following July, through his attorney, D. C. DeWitt, Esq., Mr. Dalton instituted a suit for $10,000 damages gainst Towanda borough and J. O. Frost's Sons. At a subsequent trial a nonsuit was granted in so far as Frost's Sons were concerned.

Suit was then commenced against the borough alone, but for various reasons the matter has dragged along until the present time when an adjourned week of court was held for the purpose of trying the issue, and Judge Cameron of Tioga county, secured to hear it.

## S. & N. Y. SUNDAY TRAINS.

**New Service on Sunday, Towanda to Ralston.**

Beginning with the new time table, taking effect on the Susquehanna & New York railroad, Sunday, June 18th, train No. 1, connecting at Ralston with P. R. R. train No. 3, leaving Williamsport at 7:10 a. m., will run daily, including Sundays, arriving at Towanda at 10 a. m.

Train No. 6, which leaves Towanda at 3:50 p. m., making close connections with the P. R. R. train arriving at Williamsport at 6:50 p. m., will also run daily.

In addition, a train on Sundays only will leave Towanda at 10:30 a. m., arriving at Laquin at 11:15 a. m. Returning, this train will leave Laquin at 2:20 p. m., arriving at Towanda at 3 p. m. This will afford good Sunday service between Williamsport and Towanda and intermediate points, in addition to the excellent week-day service, and will no doubt be appreciated by the traveling public.

## RED MEN AT YORK.

**Reports Show Order to Be in a Flourishing Condition.**

The fifty-sixth annual state council of Red Men of Pennsylvania assembled in York on June 13. Reports of committees occupied the entire day. During the year twenty-eight new tribes have been instituted, ten have disbanded and four councils have been consolidated into two. During the year 11,882 have been admitted to membership and 9,206 have withdrawn. Number of tribes in the state, 432; total membership of tribes, 63,729. The finances of the order are reported to be in a prosperous condition. During the year a total of $561,337 was received by the tribes of the state. For the relief of the members $198,620 was expended; for funeral benefits, $54,418; for other purposes, $203,285. The total investments of the tribes of the state are placed at $1,075,987.

### Mountain Lake Soldiers' Reunion

Circular letters have been issued by President Lane and Secretary Verbeck for the thirteenth annual reunion of the Mountain Lake Soldiers' and Sailors' asociation on June 22 and 23, at Mountain Lake. There will be a campfire Thursday evening, and literary programs, addresses Friday afternoon by Rev. E. P. Morse of Troy, and others, including probably Judge Fanning. The business meeting of the association will be held at 10:30 Friday morning.

### Feared Foul Play.

Claude A. Hodge, a Lehigh fireman at Athens drew his pay and failed to return to his waiting wife. Next morning she reported his disappearance to the police and said that she feared he had met with foul play. The police did not agree with this theory. A short time later Mrs. Hodge received a letter from her husband dated at Waverly stating that owing to his inability to meet his debs he had decided to leave for parts unknown.—Athens News.

### Charged With Defaulting.

Lyman Shermerhorn, tax collector of Laceyville borough, is charged with being a defaulter in the sum of $800. His bondsmen promptly made good the amount of the defalcation, but were not satisfied with Shermerhorn's protests that he knew nothing about the deficiency. A warrant was sworn out for his arrest and he is now in jail, in default of $1,000 bail, to await trial in the county court.

### S. C. I. Trustee Meeting.

The board of trustees of the Susquehanna Collegiate Institute will meet at the parlors of the First Presbyterian church on Friday afternoon of this week at 3:30 o'clock. A number of applications have been received for the principalship of the school for the coming year and an endeavor will be made to secure a first class head for the famous institution.

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## BRADFORD COUNTY MEN.

**Are Engaged on New Work at Montrose.**

The frame work of the new Lehigh Valley depot is now going up and Contractor Kisner, of Towanda, will push the work along as rapidly as possible. Mr. Pettis, of Orwell, Bradford county, has charge of the work, but is hampered considerably through the scarcity of carpenters, as all in this vicinity are unusually busy at this season of the year.

The excavation for the Susquehanna County Historical society building is now nearly finished and the foundation will be started at once. Thomas Howley, of Towanda, who has just completed the foundation for the Lehigh Valley depot, and whose work was highly praised Wednesday by the Lehigh inspector on his tour, will have charge of the erection of the foundation for this building. The structure will be three stories high, including the basement, and will be 30 by 50 feet in size, being made of block concrete. The time for closing of bids has been extended one week.—Montrose Republican.

## TROY MAN ELECTROCUTED.

**George A. Dillin Met Instant Death While at His Work.**

George A. Dillin, jr., a native of Troy boro, was instantly killed at 3 o'clock Saturday afternoon, June 10. He had been employed as a helper in the power house of the Vesta mine, two miles from California, Pa., since last October. On the afternoon of his death in the regular discharge of his duties he stooped to pass a wire charged with 550 volts of electric current. In rising his face came in contact with the wire which was not insulated and instant death resulted.

He was 20 years old May 16, and had been a member since he was a boy of 12 of the Disciple church at Troy. He was a son of P. W. Dillin and a grandson of George Dillin to whose home the remains were brought on Monday for burial.

### Waverly Will Celebrate.

A patriotic celebration of the Fourth of July will be held in Waverly, for which elaborate preparations are being made. The street parade will be the largest ever held in the Southern tier, a prominent feature being the firemen of the valley and a gorgeous fantastic brigade. Races of every description will be run and $400 in cash prizes distributed. Two baloon ascensions and the stupenduous sensation, the "human bomb," exploded in mid air. Speakers of national reputation and a blaze of fire works to end the day.

### Was a Bad Storm.

Sunday night's storm in this section was a fierce one. Lightning struck an electric light wire at Athens and it fell in the street. A horse stepped on it and was knocked unconscious. It recovered in about a half hour. A house was struck and several places were flooded by the water. The river raised over four feet here.

### Six Cows Killed

During the heavy electric storm on Monday evening of this week a bolt of lightning struck a maple tree on the farm of C. A. Pratt at East Herrick and killed six of his herd of cows. From marks on others it is likely that more were knocked down but were able to get up again.

### Return to Mansfield.

Miss Sarah Hodges, who for several years has been a popular and successful teacher in the Towanda public schools but who did not apply for another year, left on Saturday for her home at Mansfield. Miss Hodges's departure from Towanda will be generally regretted by her many friends and especially by the patrons of the school.

### Won History Prize.

Miss Frances A. Sawyer, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Sawyer of Towanda, won the Elizabeth Watson prize in English history at the Lady Jane Grey school at Binghamton. The prize was a handsome edition of Shakespeare in ten volumes.

### Shot a Rare Bird.

Dr. O. J. Molyneux of New Albany, while hunting near Laddsburg a few days ago shot a turkey buzzard measuring about seven feet from tip to tip of its wings. This is a rare bird in this latitude, these birds seldom coming so far North.

### Before the Cadi.

Moses Vanderpool of Marshview, was before Burgess Pratt Sunday morning charged with being drunk and fighting. He was assessed $3.50, which he paid.

## COUNTY COMMISSIONERS WANTED WANDERING BOY

**Lad Named Howard Henson Brought Here Monday.**

A young lad 12 years old and giving his name as Howard Henson, came to Athens Sunday night at about 10 o'clock and said he had no home or friends and was given a night's lodging and breakfast by Chief Mulligan. He said he was born at Sugar Run near Wyalusing; that his father, mother, brother and sister were all dead and that he was cast out into the world to do the best he could. He first worked for Mrs. Shores, at Shores Hill for his board and clothes. Afterwards he was at the home of Ed. Vought, at Ghent. From there he went to the county house at Burlington and after being there a time he was taken to Towanda by some one and from there went to Orwell where he was with a family by the name of Cass. He left there Sunday and went to Nichols and from there to Waverly on the cars.

He said that Mr. Cass paid him $2.40 for six days' work and that he had spent the money for a pair of overalls and railroad fare. Dr. Rishel took great compassion on him and tried to enlist the sympathies of Athens people in him, but he was given his breakfast and told to go where he had a mind to.

Chief Mulligan received a message from the county commissioners at 11 o'clock Monday saying that the lad Howard Henson was a bad boy and they wanted him. He therefore took him in custody and has gone to Towanda to deliver him over to them.—Valley Record.

## HAYMAKERS' ANNUAL FEED.

**Took Dinner Pails and Cider Jugs to New Park Hotel.**

The Towanda Haymakers' association No. 359½ took the dinner pails and cider jugs to the New Park hayfield last night on the occasion of their sixth annual feed. Of course the Haymakers eat every day but once every year they get some Towanda landlord to put in an extra snack and they wade into it like an exhibition mowing machine at the county fair.

Last night the fodder consisted of city soup; Redmen's bread; "Come, birdie, come and live with me;" You too Piggy; Parker tavern rolls; Murphy's favorites wid cream; elephant's milk; Birdie seems all cut up; the Ever Glorious Fourth; We all relish sich like; "Give me Vanilly and Stack Berries, please;" sweet cakes, just coffee, hay tea. After exploring and laying claims to the contents of the full dinner pails Burgess Pratt, who is an agriculturist once each year acted as toastmaster and besides his own remarks, Judge A. C. Fanning gave a short address.

## RENTED PITTSTON HOTEL.

**Mr. and Mrs. Frank E. Morris to Leave Towanda.**

Mr. and Mrs. Frank E. Morris of this place have leased the Sinclair hotel at Pittston and take immediate possession. The building is well fitted up and has been extensively improved lately. The place has not catered to boarding and the new proprietors will make a specialty of this part of the business. The hotel has about 30 rooms and will make a fine business site.

Both Mr. and Mrs. Morris have had experience in the hotel business and Mrs. Morris understands the art of cooking. Her excellence in this line will earn a fine patronage for the hotel at once. The Morrises have purchased the furnishings of the hotel and they are said to be complete and compare favorably with any in that section. Mr. Morris has already gone to Pittston and Mrs. Morris goes this week.

### Some Fish Laws.

There is a great deal of misunderstanding this year as to the changes in the fish laws. We have communicated with Deputy Fish and Game Warden Shoemaker who informs us that no changes were made in the fish laws this year, excepting that carp, suckers and mullets may be taken with nets providing the fisherman give the fish commission a bond of $200 and that it shall be a fine of $25 for parties guilty of stunting. The bullheads may be taken by "bob," net or hook. The law that forbids spearing is still in force and a fine of $25 for Sunday fishing will be rigidly enforced. The trout season which has been generally reported to close June 15, will not close until July 31.—Meshoppen Enterprise.

### Vought Family Reunion.

The fifth annual meeting of the Vought reunion will be held in A N. Wilmot's grove at Rome, on Wednesday, Aug. 23. In case of rain all the forenoon of that day, come Aug. 24. Meet at the grove at 9 a. m. Hot tea and coffee will be furnished. Everybody who wishes to come is cordially invited to do so.

### Sale at Rome.

The ladies of the Rome Presbyterian church will hold a three days' fair in their parlors beginning Wednesday, June 21, to which all are cordially invited. Admission free. Lunch and ice cream will be served daily and many fancy articles both useful and ornamental will be for sale. By order of Committee.

### No. 2 Doesn't Stop.

A new time table went into effect on the Lehigh Valley Sunday morning. The only change is that train No. 2, due here at 4:10 a. m., and going east, will not stop in Towanda hereafter.

### Conversion from Catholicism.

Rev. Dr. McLeod will tell the story of his conversion from the Roman Catholic to the Protestant faith next Lord's day evening at 8 o'clock at East Smithfield.

# FROM NEARBY PLACES

## What is Occurring in Many Towns Hereabouts.

## PRINCIPAL MARRIES TEACHER.

**Profesor I. T. Kepperly of Tunkhannock Weds Miss Marian Leighton—Athens Pastor Called to Church at Scranton—Canton Man Hurt.**

A charter has been granted the Meshoppen and Auburn Telephone company, capital stock $5,000.

Buglars attempted to rob the Newark Valley postoffice on Wednesday of last week but were scared away.

Hazleton region huckleberry dealers expect to begin shipments this week. The berries are said to be abundant.

Miss Helen Newell of Sayre, graduated last week from Wyoming seminary at Kingston, and was awarded the first prize in elocution.

Thomas Merton Dunn of Weatherly was married to Miss Eleanor Benedict Metcalf at Tunkhannock on Wednesday evening of last week.

Harry Craven lost the end of one of the fingers on his left hand while running a job press at the Swayze advertising company's plant at Can-

Professor I. T. Kepperley, principal of the Tunkhannock borough schools, was married to Miss Marian Leighton, one of the teachers in the school, on Wednesday of this week.

Ezra S. Deubler, of Tunkhannock, who graduated last week from the University of Pennsylvania, has accepted a position as assistant to the state veternarian a a salary of $1,500 a year.

Rev. E. W. DeWitt, pastor of the Athens Baptist church, has received a call from the North Main Avenue Baptist church at Scranton to become its pastor, the acceptance of which he now has under consideraion.

The police authorities of Elmira, have at last determined to stop the frequenting of Railroad avenue "hotels" by women and Friday night made a secret raid on half a dozen places, capturing four women.

Morrell Watkins, of Wellsboro, aged about 20 or 22, picked the lock on his cell in the county jail at Wellsboro the other night, broke through the plastering in the ceiling and from the attic went down into another corridor and out of a rear window.

### Promoter Sued.

Joseph D. Stone, vice president and general manager of the N. Y. P. & S. R. R., is the defendant in a suit for $100, brought against him by Frederick K. Harvey of Binghamton. The suit is brought for a loan and in the papers is called an advance of $100.

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# TOWANDA GRADUATES

## Class of Seventeen Receive Diplomas From High School.

### LARGE AUDIENCE ATTENDED.

**Brief Digests of the Essays and Papers Read—Music Was Furnished by the Germania Band—Miss Isabelle F. Bull Had First Honor.**

The twenty-second class of the Towanda High school was graduated with befitting exercises at Hale's Opera House June 14, in the presence of a large audience of relatives and friends. There were 17 members in this year's class, which is a large one.

The opera house was tastefully decorated. The class colors are green and white and evergreen and white flowers were banked at both sides of the stage and used in front. A school banner hung from one of the boxes and in the center of the stage was the class motto: "Aequitas," in white letters on a green background. The Germania band was stationed at the rear of the stage behind a bank of flowers and evergreen.

While the audience was being seated and at intervals throughout the program the band played and were well received. For an overture, a selection from "Woodland" was given and the other numbers were: Serenade, "Italian," by Guerresi; march, "The Diplomat," by Sousa; intermezzo, "Bewitching Beauty," by Laurendean; promenade, "Yankee Girl," by Holzman. The invocation was delivered by Rev. Edwin A. Gernant, M. A., and the members of the class then read their essays and papers.

Two class songs were sung by the class, one to the tune of "Maryland, My Maryland," the words composed by Coryl M. Lewis, and the other to the tune of "Good Bye, Little Girl, Good Bye," the words written by Bert Bazette. Both were well received. The class roll of honor was as follows: Isabelle F. Bull, first; Bessie A. MacMorran, second; James Taylor Ingham, third; A. Frances Chaffee, fourth.

**Essays and Papers.**

Miss Bessie A. MacMorran, who took second honors in the class, delivered the salutatory, welcoming the parents, friends, teachers and members of the school board to the exercises and thanking them for their assistance and support during school days. Her essay on "The Progress of China" discussed this pecular nation, a country of misdirected energy and undreamed of possibilities. It is slow to imbibe new ideas because it believes that its civilization is best but it will probably learn from the new Western methods in order that it may deal with the Western nations.

Edward Eugene Chubbuck and Miles Catlin Smith gave a novel number on the program, that of a lecture on Hydrogen, illustrated with experiments. They showed by a series of experiments that hydrogen is combustible but will not support combustion and that it is lighter than water. They also made a demonstration of one of its compounds, phosphine. This was a highly interesting feature of the evening and the experiments were very attractive.

In her essay on "The Prospect of Poetry," Miss Bertha Sluyter discussed the question of whether we will have any more such bards as Shakespeare, Dante and others. She held that not until some new nation has gone through a formative process and development can such a new light in the field of poetry be confidently expected.

James Taylor Ingham in his paper on "Shifting Scenery" discussed the restoration of lands rendered unsightly and barren by the process of development of railroads, water power and timber cutting through horticulture, landscape gardening and irrigation. He deprecated the apathy of the many in regard to the improvement and beautifying of cities and towns.

Miss Emma Gordon gave a history of the passion plays at Ober-Ammergau and at Vorder-Thiersee in her essay on "The Passion Play." The Ober-Ammergau passion play was first produced about 250 years ago and followed the ravages of the plague which carried off 100 people in that little town alone. The play at Vorder-Thiersee is older but did not originate there. In it the peasants act with the greatest reverence and for it command the respect of the world.

Miss Ethel G. Ott sketched "The History of the Education of the Blind." This education originated in Paris in 1780 and to Valentine Haiiy is due the credit. He invented raised letters and a method of printing and from this beginning has followed the wonderful progress made in this important branch of education.

**A Timely Topic.**

"A Woman's Part in the Winning of the West," was the topic of Miss Mary Elizabeth Ingham's paper. She spoke of the Lewis and Clark expedition and claimed that much of its success depended on the help of an Indian woman by the name of Sacajawea, called "the bird-woman," who guided the explorers through the forests and by her friendly relations with the many tribes of Indians and her knowledge of their language was of incalculable benefit to the pathfinders.

Eben M. Lilley was excused from reading his paper on "High School Support" as was Miss Nellie Best Frost her's on "The American Girl in Music."

"Public Education in the South" was the subject of Miss Lucy Satterlee Sweet's essay. Miss Sweet said that education had been a conscious vital policy in the South in which ever member of the community was keenly interested. She claimed that the South believes that an educated negro is better than an ignorant one, and she made the point that at a per capita cost of $4.50 illiteracy has been reduced in the South 50 per cent, while in the West the cost had been $31 per capita.

The essay on "Tainted Money" by George V. Dayton was not given, Mr. Dayton being excused.

Miss Coryl Lewis read an essay on "To Will and to Do." She gave illustrations of men of strong and determined wills and what they had accomplished and commended the American idea of "where there's a will, there's a way." She commented on the pleasure of success won by hard and honest work.

Charles Beecher Reed had for his paper the topic, "Doctors of the Old School." He sketched the origin of the practice of medicine among the Druids and showed how there existed even in the olden times ideas of diet and hygiene as benefiting health. He gave some laughable prescriptions and spoke of the high ethical standards held up as the ideal for the old physician and how this idea maintains today.

"Great Dunces" was the title of Miss Anne Frances Chaffee's essay. She gave a sketch of many noted men who were regarded as dullards and dunces in their youth and this list includes such men as Grant, Sir Isaac Newton, Oliver Goldsmith, Sir Walter Scott, Hutton, Sheridan, Darwin and Burke.

Edmond C. Turner discussed "Usage of Labor Saving Machinery" in his paper. He controverted the idea that machinery did away with the chances for men who worked with their hands and claimed that the introduction of labor saving machinery had given them better chances and more highly recompensed than under the old hand methods used formerly.

Miss Isabelle Frisbie Bull in her essay spoke of "The Weight of Words." Words are the faithful indicators of character and the general characteristics of a nation are many times revealed by certain words in its language. Large words are not necessary to convey large ideas. Some words have a mystic spell. A single word may cause a life time of sorrow.

Miss Bull had the highest standing and gave the valedictory. She thanked the school directors for their many kindnesses and expressed the high sense of value felt by the class for the teachers of the High school. She also thanked the teachers who were in the High school previous to this year for their work on behalf of the members of the class. To the parents and friends she expressed the thanks of the class for their assistance and she urged that the class always uphold its colors and those of their country as well as their motto.

In a few well chosen remarks, Dr. P. J. Smith presented the diplomas of the school to the members of the class and they are now alumni and alumnae of the Towanda High School.

### GRADUATES' BANQUET.

**Fine Time Had at the New Park Hotel Last Week Wednesday.**

At the close of the graduation exercises the members of the class of 1905, who had just received their diplomas, together with the High school faculty and Prof. John K. Stewart, enjoyed a delightful banquet at the New Park Hotel. Twenty-two covers were laid and the table presented a sight worthy of the daintiest bridal party. Green and white, the class colors, were used with charming effect. Numerous silver candlesticks with green shades, ferns, flowers and vines, and dainty green and white bonbon dishes adorned the board. The menus were printin silver and green and tied with green ribbon.

Edmond C. Turner presided. The class poem was read by Miss Chaffee, statistics were given by Miss Gordon, Miss Lewis, the class president, made a brief address and there were short talks by Prof. Humphries and Prof. Stewart. The banquet committee, to whose efforts much of the delight of the occasion was due were Nellie B. Frost, Emma Gordon, Bessie MacMorran, Edmond C. Turner, Mary E. Ingham and Edward E. Chubbuck.

An elaborate menu was served, as follows: Fruit melange; cream of peas, brown bread, lamb chops, Spring 1905; Bermuda potatoes creamed, petits pois, chicken salad, wafers; pistachio ice cream, strawberries, sponge cake, white cake; olives, pickles, coffee; mint en cases.

### COMMENCEMENT FESTIVITIES ENDED THURSDAY NIGHT.

**Theta Sigma Banquet and Junior and Senior Dance.**

The commencement festivities of the Towanda High school closed last Thursday night with two events. The first was the Theta Sigma fraternity banquet and the second the Junior and Senior dance in Mantua hall. The banquet was held at the New Park hotel and a fine menu served. A long table was set in the fraternity colors of blue and brown and blue forget-me-nots and white carnations, the fraternity flowers, were used for the decorations. The menu cards were very cleverly gotten up. On the cover was painted forget-me-nots in blue and green and the monogram of Theta Sigma in gold. Miss Emma Gordon was toastmistress and the following toasts were responded to: "Our Ideals," Miss Edna Frisbie; "Farewell to seniors," Miss Anna Hale; "Goodbye, T. H. S.," Isabelle Bull; "Theta Sigma," Helen Hale. The members of the fraternity are Isabelle Bull, Nellie Frost, Edna Frisbie, Emma Gordon, Grace Gillette, Anna Hale, Elizabeth M. Loetzer, Helen Hale, Mary Ingham, Coryl Lewis, Edith Sill, Lucy Sweet, Esther Wilt and Velma M. Potter. Miss Gertrude Meade, a Theta Sigma sister from Syracuse, who is a guest at Mrs. D. J. Sweet's here, was a guest at the banquet. The committee was Edna Frisbie, Helen Hale, Edith Sill, Esther Wilt, Miss Loetzer and Miss Potter.

The Towanda orchestra played for the dance at Mantua hall and refreshments were served at Betts. The patronesses were Mrs. G. E. Frost, Mrs. D. J. Sweet, Mrs. H. G. Lewis, Mrs. Jennie Turner, Mrs. A. S. Gordon, Mrs. G. T. Ingham and Mrs. G. A. Dayton.

### THE WISE OLD OWL MET WITH A SAD MISHAP

**Was Stealing Chickens When the Coop Fell Down.**

An East Towanda lady had a queer experience the other day. About 8:30 in the morning she went to the chicken coop to feed the brood of little chicks. She found that the coop had fallen down. When she raised it the hen and chicks flew out. They had reason to for in one corner of the coop she saw a big owl. The bird never moved. It did not even say "nevermore," like the raven. It didn't say a word.

The lady went to the house and secured a revolver. She fired two shots at the bird but it didn't turn a feather. Then she happened to remember that owls don't see in the day time and she could account for the strange actions of Mr. Owl. She fired another shot and then the bird started up and flew a little ways off. The lady told a man about the bird and he found it perched on a branch of a tree. He shot it in the eye and it died. The third shot that the lady had fired had wounded the wise bird in the side.

The lady thinks that Mr. Owl has been visiting the coop nightly for some time for of some 18 chicks only 12 are left. When he stole into the coop the other night the bird probably knocked out the prop under it and so imprisoned himself. The owl was a monster. It measured four feet and two inches from tip to tip of its wings and weighed four and a half pounds.

### TUNKHANNOCK BOVINES ARE GIVING PINK MILK NOW

**Dairyman Brunges Has a Problem on His Hands.**

There is a time worn joke about the fair city boarder who asked the farmer to show her the cow that gave the buttermilk. But the Tunkhannock New Age, which is a reputable newspaper and doesn't think it's right to tell bear stories and fish tales like Fred Newell does, has the buttermilk cow beaten to a batter. This aforesaid reputable journal staates that Hon S. R. Brunges has had a peculiar and unfortunate thing happen to his dairy herd.

Two or three months ago the milk developed a strange and unaccountable characteristic. If left to sour or lobber it turned to a bright pink or nearly crimson hue. The phenomenon was, and still is, as mystifying to Mr. Brunges as to all others. He immediately took steps to discover the cause and remedy it if possible.

He wrote to State Veterinarian Pearson, who sent a man to investigate the case, and though the latter found the herd and the surroundings in apparently the best possible sanitary condition, he made some random suggestions in the hope thaat something might reach the seat of the trouble and remedy it. Mr. Brunges has followed these faithfully, but has thus far seen only a partial abatement of the difficulty. Mr. Brunges will leave nothing undone to fine out the cause of the queer color of the milk.

### ALL ARRANGEMENTS READY FOR THE BIG SHOOT.

**Towanda Gun Club Expects Big Crowd Here Thursday.**

Thursday of this week will be the big day in the annals of the Towanda Gun club. On that day they will hold a tournament at their grounds at East Towanda and not only will a large number of amateurs take part in the events but exhibition shooting will be given by representatives of the largest houses in the United States.

The local gun club has purchased 15,000 targets for the shoot so that there will be no lack of sport for all who come. Seats will be provided for spectators and ladies who are interested in shooting will find seats for their accommodation. This shoot will be the biggest thing ever held in this section and will be worth any one's time to attend it. No admission will be charged to spectators.

**Force of Habit.**

"A thousand stars are looking down on you this night!" said the poetical young man to the girl.

And she unconsciously put her hands up to arrange the position of her hat.

### SAYLES.

Miss Ethel Stanton has gone to Troy to work for her uncle, Bruce Rubert.

Mrs. Dell Anderson came near dying last Wednesday evening from a bee sting. She went out to help her husband move a swarm of bees and one stung her on the lip and one on the head and in just a few minutes she was almost wild; they sent for Dr. Genung and they thought she would die before he could get there.

Children's day will be observed in Woodin's school house Sunday evening, July 2.

Miss Lulu Watts of Canton is visiting young friends in this place.

# TO MEET AUG. 1.

## Russia Accepts Japan's Date For Beginning Peace Conference.

### FEAR FOR LINEVITCH'S ARMY

**Reported In St. Petersburg That Field Marshal Oyama Is Opening a General Engagement, With the Odds All In His Favor.**

St. Petersburg, June 20.—Russia finds no objection to Aug. 1, as suggested by Japan, for the date of the meeting of the plenipotentiaries, and instructions will be sent to Ambassador Cassini to accept it.

In spite of the dispatches from Washington indicating the possibility that Count Cassini and Minister Takahira may sign a temporary armistice before the end of the week the foreign office declares positively that there has been no official exchanges on the subject.

According to reports current in this city, some preliminaries looking to an armistice have already taken place between General Linevitch and Field Marshal Oyama, but the war office offers no confirmation of this. On the contrary, the news from the front, although meager, all seems to indicate that the Japanese advance has already begun.

PRESENT POSITION OF THE OPPOSING ARMIES.

Although it is feared that Oyama is moving into position for a general engagement and has the Russian army in a bad fix, there is no important news of operations in Manchuria since the Japanese occupation of Liaoyangwopeng, on the extreme right of General Linevitch's line. Linevitch reports that the Japanese force which captured that point consisted of a division of infantry, forty squadrons of cavalry and four batteries of artillery. This force is apparently the advance guard of a big turning movement.

There are reports that Oyama and Linevitch are negotiating an armistice, but these are evidently baseless.

**Japanese Envoys to Sail June 30.**

Tokyo, June 20.—Discussion of the meeting of the peace plenipotentiaries continues through Washington, with indications of an early completion of the details. There has been a series of conferences between the elder statesmen and the cabinet to consider the conditions and discuss the selection of plenipotentiaries. It is thought to be possible to complete the details, appoint the plenipotentiaries and organize a staff of assistants in time for them to sail on the steamer Empress of India June 30 from Yokohama for Vancouver, B. C., a voyage of about two weeks.

### WEAVER MAKING BOMBS.

**Philadelphia Thinks Another Explosion Is About Due.**

Philadelphia, June 20.—There was an air of expectancy about the city hall due to a protracted conference in the mayor's office, the participants being Mayor Weaver, former Judge Gordon and Attorney Joseph S. Auerbach of New York, the mayor's private counsel; Thomas L. Hicks, assistant director of public works, and Acting Chief Webster of the filtration bureau. Blue prints and papers were brought to the conference by Chief Webster, and it is generally understood that contracts were the subject of discussion.

The disclosures in connection with the investigation into the construction of the Torresdale boulevard may result in the annulment of the contract now held by the McNichol firm, or the contractors may merely be required to do the work over again and to rectify all faults in construction discovered by the preliminary investigation.

### SAMUEL GLEASON FREE.

**Alleged Accomplice of Kate Edwards Acquitted of Murder.**

Reading, Pa., June 16.—Samuel Greason, colored, was acquitted of the murder of John Edwards. Mrs. Kate Edwards, wife of the murdered man, whose testimony convicted Greason over three years ago, completely exonerated him. Edwards was murdered nearly four years ago, and Greason was arrested several months later. His death warrant was issued ten times, and his case has developed into one of the most remarkable murder trials in this state.

Mrs. Edwards, the mother of Greason's child, is under sentence of death, and it is expected that the governor will fix the date for her execution within a short time. It was postponed several months ago so that she could be used as a witness at Greason's trial.

**Mail Tube Explodes, Hurting Four.**

Philadelphia, June 16.—By the bursting of a pneumatic tube in the postoffice here four employees were seriously injured, one fatally. A large quantity of mail was destroyed.

### DEATH OF GENERAL GOMEZ.

**Was Surrounded by Family and President Palma When the End Came.**

Havana, June 18.—General Maximo Gomez is dead here. El Caudillo (chieftain), as the great leader of revolutions was called by his countrymen, expired as the sun was slanting across the gulf in the presence not only of his weeping family, but also his old time friend, Estrado Palma, president of the republic, whose tears freely mingled with those of the sorrowing relatives.

The end came quietly in the beautiful temporary home at the seaside in

GENERAL MAXIMO GOMEZ.

the suburb Vedado, to which General Gomez was taken on his return from Santiago. The dying man was unable to recognize any one. President Palma, accompanied by General Andrade, arrived about a quarter of an hour previous to the death of General Gomez.

General Maximo Gomez, who commanded the Cuban forces during the insurrection which broke out in 1895 and ended with the complete independence of the island when on May 20, 1902, the control of Cuba was formally transferred to the new Cuban government, was born at Bani, Santo Domingo, in 1836, and came of a Spanish family which had settled there. He began life as a cavalry officer in the Spanish army in Santo Domingo and served during the last occupation of Santo Domingo by Spain.

When the Spaniards were driven from the island Gomez went with the Spanish troops to Cuba and for a time was in garrison at Santiago. Later, being disgusted at the manner in which the Spanish General Villar treated some starving Cuban refugees for whom Gomez had collected funds, the young lieutenant severed his connection with the Spanish army.

### PERISHED TO A MAN.

**Not One Survivor of the Russian Battleship Alexander III.**

St. Petersburg, June 16.—A general requiem mass was celebrated at the Naval chapel for the repose of the souls of the officers and other members of the crew of the battleship Alexander III., who, the admiralty announces, went down to a man in the battle of the Sea of Japan. There was only one survivor of each of the complements of the battleships Borodino and Navarin.

The prophetic words of Captain Bukhvastoff of the Alexander III. at a dinner to his officers before their departure for the far east are now recalled. He said:

"Of one thing I am sure—we will all die and not surrender."

The announcement that Emperor Nicholas has accepted the resignation of his uncle, Grand Duke Alexis, as high admiral and also that of Admiral Avellan, head of the Russian admiralty, has created a great sensation. It is supposed to be a concession to the popular clamor against the two men as being responsible for Russia's naval disasters.

**Linevitch Pushes Back Japs.**

St. Petersburg, June 16.—General Linevitch in a dispatch to Emperor Nicholas dated June 15 reports that a Russian turning movement forced the Japanese to retire from Iulantizi June 11 after burning their supplies. Another Russian force June 12 advanced from the valley of the Tzin river to the village of Vanloungow, pushing back the Japanese advance posts. The same day the Russian cavalry occupying Nanshantchenzi retired slightly northward.

**Lutheran Missions.**

Pittsburg, June 16.—The eighteenth biennial report of the Evangelical Lutheran board of home missions, covering the period between May 1, 1903, and May 1, 1905, shows total receipts amounting to $104,151.53, an increase of $7,853.91. The aggregate amount credited on the apportionment is $84,443.28, an increase of $12,039.61, and shows a deficit amounting to about $30,000. Amount of aid granted, $14,932.91, an increase of $2,197.57. The number of missions enrolled were 214; missionaries commissioned, 255; congregations and preaching stations, 247; net gain in membership, 5,168; teachers and scholars enrolled, 29,068.

**Root For Cabinet Again.**

Washington, June 20.—A report is in circulation here that former Secretary of War Elihu Root is likely to return to the cabinet soon as head of either the war or the state department, probably the latter. It is said the president will insist on Mr. Root re-entering his official family in case Mr. Hay retires or Secretary of War Taft should go to the federal supreme bench.

**Hay at His Desk.**

Washington, June 20.—Secretary Hay, who has returned to Washington after a prolonged absence abroad, was at his desk in the state department.

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# DENY ARCANUM STORY

## Attack on the Order Denounced by Supreme Regent Higgins.

### NO OCCASION FOR ALARM.

**Members Will Not Be Misled or Deceived by False Reports, He Says—Feeling of Unrest Reported, However, In Greater New York Councils.**

Rome, N. Y., June 18.—Howard C. Wiggins, supreme regent of the Royal Arcanum, in a statement denying the published report that there had been a recent meeting of some of the members of the supreme council and charging certain enemies of the order with circulating false reports said:

My attention has been called to an article widely published in various papers stating that a conference had been held by various members of the supreme council, together with Grand Regent Hoag, to consider plans to prevent threatened secession of councils from the order. There is absolutely no truth whatever in such report.

Grand Regent Hoag has not been in Rome to my knowledge within six months, and no officer or member of the supreme council has been in this city since the adjournment of the supreme council last month. There is no occasion for alarm and no occasion for conference upon the part of supreme council officers.

The statement contained in the report that at every council meeting since the present agitation began from five to twelve members have been suspended is absolutely false and untrue. At council meetings which are being held members are being initiated, new applications are being received and others who held $1,000 certificates by reason of the improved plan are making application to have the amount of their protection increased to $2,000 and $3,000 certificates.

Our members will not be misled or deceived by the incendiary press reports that are being daily published in certain papers. The source from which emanate such false and misleading reports will be obvious to every one. The powerful influences, however, back of the effort to destroy the confidence of our members will soon come to a realizing sense that their hopes have been delusive. The members of the Royal Arcanum are capable of investigating for themselves.

**Still In State of Turmoil.**

New York, June 18.—Affairs of the Royal Arcanum are still in a state of turmoil in spite of the hard work on the part of the leaders to restore harmony and induce the members to adopt the higher rates of insurance, and it was reported that twenty-seven councils might secede from the society. The feeling of unrest throughout the ranks of the members appears to be running higher than ever before, and, while the leaders aver that there is no serious trouble in sight, councils one after the other are holding angry meetings every night. The Futon council of Brooklyn has even gone so far as to suggest that those who refuse to pay the higher rates withdraw and form a new society to be called the Amercan Arcanum. This is the first official move on the part of any of the councils which brings to the surface the real feeling of a majority of the members. Of the 306,000 members in the Royal Arcanum, it has been said by several, 75 per cent, or more than 200,000, do not favor the raised insurance rates. The monthly issue of the Bulletin, the official publication of the order, which has just been received by the members, shows that the supreme council and the leaders of the larger councils have determined to stand by the new rates. I. W. Caulfield, secretary of the New York council, in a statement declared that he never said there was no fraternal side to the Royal Arcanum.

### LAQUIN.

Lillian Ross is in Binghamton to spend a couple of weeks with friends.

Jesse Harder, who has been attending school at Lock Haven, is home for vacation.

Leslie Perry, who returned to work for the Laquin Lumber Co. recently, had the misfortune to have his little finger nearly taken off one day last week.

Rev. J. Sturdevant, a pioneer minister of Bradford and Sullivan counties, walked six miles to attend the laying of the corner stone of the Baptist church. He is 84 years old.

D. W. Johnson and family have moved near Canton, and Mr. Dewey has moved in to the boarding house where they moved out and will carry on the business there.

Will Simons and family of Sayre, are visiting at Martin Hancock's.

### BENTLEY CREEK.

The telephone poles are nearly all set on the new farmer's telephone line at this place.

Edd Dewey of South Dakota, is visiting friends and relatives in and around this vicinity.

The Baptist association will be held in the Baptist church at this place on June 27, 28, and 29.

Hazel May of Waverly, and Mrs. Stanley Dunbar and children May, Ruth and Harold of this place, visited at Mrs. Frank Dewey's on Thursday

### BURLINGTON.

Mrs. D. V. Campbell of this place and her sister, Miss Emma Moscrip of Greensburrough, Pa., are visiting Rev. James Britton at Manlius, N. Y.

The children's day exercises held in the M. E. church Sunday were well attended. The children did well.

Mrs. Mary Moscrip is visiting her sister, Mrs. Hill, at Sayre.

The Rebecca Lodge installed their officers last week by Mrs. Lewis, district deputy, and Mrs. Gregory of Sayre, the ladies remaining over night with Mrs. Clint Gerould.

Eli Gale visited his son at Overton a few days last week.

Dr. Campbell, wife and baby of Smithfield, called on their uncle, T. F. Lent, lest Saturday.

Mrs. Clara Gale visited her son, Frank Mingos, at Luthers Mills, a few days last week.

Mrs. Eliza Phelps of Milan, is staying a few weeks with her son Plynn.

### WEST BURLINGTON.

Mr. and Mrs. Lynn E. Blackwell spent Sunday with the lady's parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Shattuck, in East Troy.

J. D. Blackwell spent Wednesday night and Thursday with his brother, A. C. Blackwell, in Towanda.

The children's day exercises were very nicely carried out; there was a large attendance.

The Ladies Aid society will have a basket picnic and serve ice cream in the afternoon of Tuesday, July 4.

Joseph Blackwell returned to his home in Towanda last week.

Miss Daisy Kennedy of Leona, spent Saturday and Sunday at the home of her uncle, E. L. Ward.

### CURE YOUR KIDNEYS.

**Do Not Endanger Life When a Towanda Citizen Shows You the Cure.**

Why will people continue to suffer the agonies of kidney complaint, backache, urinary disorders, lameness, headaches, languor, why allow themselves to become chronic invalids, when a certain cure is offered them?

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### GLEN SUMMIT SPRINGS HOTEL WILL OPEN JUNE 24th.

Announcement is made by Chas. S. Lee, General Passenger Agent of the Lehigh Valley Railroad, that the Glen Summit Springs Hotel will, as above stated open on June 24th. It will be under the management of Mr. J. H. Murdick, the same as last year. Under Mr. Murdick's management the hotel has met with a deserved success, and with the improvements made last year at the hotel, it is now more delightful than ever before. d&w1twtf

### LIBERTY CORNERS.

On account of the storm Sunday evening the Children's day services were postponed until next Sunday evening.

Raymond Ebert of Syracuse, is visiting his parents, Rev. and Mrs. D. J. Ebert.

Remember the ice cream social on the church lawn Friday evening of this week.

Tom Streevy of Overton, visited relatives in this place last week.

### GRANVILLE SUMMIT.

On account of the rain Children's day exercises in the M. E. church will be next Sunday evening.

Miss Marian English is still helpless with the rheumatism.

Born Sunday morning to Mr. and Mrs. Gerdon Porter, a daughter.

The W. C. T. U. will hold their memorial service in the M. E. church Sunday a. m., June 25. Rev. H. B. Allen will make the address. Any one having flowers is requested to bring them to the church Saturday afternoon. The next regular meeting of the Union will be at the home of Mrs. Julia Ferguson, June 30, at 2 o'clock instead of June 23.

H. Dreste has his new barn up and when completed will be the finest one in this section.

# Happenings in the County

**Gathered by Special Correspondents In Many Towns**

### ALBA.

The Ladies' Aid society at the home of Mrs. Andrus Case was well attended.

There will be an ice cream social at the home of M. S. Blair Thursday evening, June 29.

M. S. Blair and family, Mr. and Mrs. Erskine Packard, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Crandall, Mrs. George Freeman and daughter, Mrs. Charles Manley, and Mrs. M. L. Packard attended the convention of the Diciples of Christ at Granville Centre last week.

Mrs. M. L. Packard entertained a house party on Tuesday, the following ladies being present: Mrs. Ellen Lewis Miller from Norwich N. Y., Mrs. Liny Lewis Dickerson from Union N. Y., Mrs. Louisa Lewis Case from Canton, Mrs. Mandarra Lewis Taylor from Williamsport, Mrs. Leonard Lewis and Mrs. Samantha Taylor. Mrs. Dana Lewis Stone was absent on account of the illness of her daughter, Mrs. Nettie Tabor.

Mrs. Packard has had her five sisters visiting her for the past week. They were entertained at the home of Mrs. Emma Lewis on Thursday by Mrs. Flora Marble, at the home of Mrs. H. B. Lilley on Wednesday, Mrs. Case the following Tuesday, at the home of Mrs. Stone on Saturday. The happy meeting of the six sisters was enjoyed by each one and all who met them.

### GROVER.

Mr. and Mrs. John Ball and family of Montoursville, visited Mr. and Mrs. Albert Schambacker last week.

Velma, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Elliot, died Tuesday aged 2 years. Funeral services were held in the Evangelical church Thursday.

After a long and painful illness, Mary Ann, wife of William Allyn, died Wednesday, June 14, aged 61 years. Funeral services were held at the Evangelical church Friday. Interment at Turners cemetery.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Ford of Covington, visited Mr. and Mrs. Werline last week.

Mrs. Kate McNett of Hagars, and John Pidcoe of Hillsgrove spent Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. C. McNeil.

Miss Myrtle Crandle returned from Philadelphia on Friday.

Mrs. P. J. McCarthy and P. L. McCarthy attended the funeral of James M. Powers of Renovo Wednesday.

Mrs. David Irwin of Gleason, called on her daughter, Mrs. C. E. Vermilya, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Rathbun spent Sunday at Winfall

**Furious Fighting.**

"For seven years," writes Geo. W. Hoffman, of Harper, Wash., "I had a bitter battle, with chronic stomach and liver trouble, but at last I won, and cured my disease, by the use of Electric Bitters. I unhesitatingly recommend them to all, and don't intend in the future to be without them in the house. They are certainly a wonderful medicine, to have cured such a bad case as mine." Sold, under guarantee to do the same for you, by Turner, the druggist, at 50c a bottle. Try them today.

### ROME.

George R. Young of Edgewood, N. J., is visiting relatives in town.

Mrs. Leon Burroughs of Franklin, has been spending a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Levi Towner.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Sairs and Mr. and Mrs. Snyder of Athens, called at S. O. Allen's, Sunday.

Mrs. McKnight of Tennessee, arrived Saturday to help care for her aunt, Mrs. M. C. Morey, who is very sick.

Bertina and Anna May Boardman are recovering from the measles.

There will be a fair at the Presbyterian church June 21, 22 and 23.

From present indications there will be a large berry crop in this vicinity, as each bush is white with blossoms.

### MERRYALL.

Rev. M. L. Cook and son Philip are attending the commencement exercises at Lafayette college, where his two sons graduate this year.

Mrs. F. I. Champlin and daughter of Orwell, visited at the home of her brother, W. B. Kennedy recently.

Instead of their weekly meeting the M. M. C. held a picnic in the woods on Thursday.

Miss Helen Cook is spending the week at Ithaca.

Rev. Mr. Rankin of Scranton, preached Sunday in the absence of Rev. M. L. Cook.

Mrs. M. L. Kennedy is spending the Summer with her daughters at Orwell.

### WEST TERRY.

Miss Merybee Eddy returned Saturday from an extended visit in Sullivan and Lycoming counties.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Cameron, Gowin, June 17, a son.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Harris, little daughters Viola and Anna, and Mrs. Edward Paulmann of South Branch, spent Sunday at H. E. Dewey's.

### LEONA.

Sylvester Sherman of Indianapolis, Ind., visited at W. H. McMahon's on Wednesday last; also Mrs. Clark McMahon of Williamsport is spending some time at the same place.

Mr. and Mrs. G. S. Ballard went on Sunday last to Elmira. Mrs. Ballard will remain for a two weeks visit.

Miss Maggie Sreeborn of Canisteo, is spending the week with Mrs. Elmer Kennedy.

### WINDFALL.

Children's day exercises which were to be held on Sunday evening, were postponed because of the rain and will be held next Sunday morning at the usual preaching hour.

Clarence Fleming lost a valuable young colt last week.

Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Welch and Mrs. Charles Ayers of Alba, Miss Kate Welch of Troy, and Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Rathbun of Grover, visited at Charles Shoemaker's Sunday.

Robert Hafflett entertained a number of his friends Sunday.

Miss Anna Welch of Tioga county, is visiting relatives and friends here.

The Misses Hanscom of Wellsboro, are visiting their uncle, Wesley Hanscom.

G. H. Haflett and E. A. Coe have each finished repainting their houses.

Fred Porter has his new house nearly completed.

Margaret Haxton has the frame to her new barn up.

C. E. Jennings has purchased the Spalding farm of C. W. Mitchell of Troy. This is the farm over which there has been a dispute concerning the title and which was recently decided in favor of C. W. Mitchell by the supreme court.

### FRANKLINDALE.

Mrs. R. F. Cox and little granddaughter Helen were visiting at Humphrey Brown's. Sunday.

Ralph Hancock of Towanda, who is employed as stenographer by a New York firm, is visiting Mrs. Emma Ellis.

The remains of the 13 year old son of James Carey of West Franklin, were brought to this place for interment on Monday.

Lightning struck the open ground in the rear of J. L. Roof's house during the storm of about a week ago and tore a large hole in the earth. Mr. Roof's house has been struck once, a tree on his farm has been struck three times by electric bolts. Joe tells us that every stump on the farm has been struck once or twice and now the lightning is striking the ground.

James Depew has finished sawing the lumber for Glenn Varney and Leslie Stone and has moved his mill to the lower end of town where he will saw out a stock of pine and hemlock for Mahlon Allen, and the Brown boys.

### LEROY.

The Children's day exercises at the Baptist church last Sunday evening were very nice and well attended.

Mr. and Mrs. John Miller of Laquin, visited at Will Sanford's Sunday.

Miss Nettie Randall of Canton, visited Miss Marion Kelley last week.

The LeRoy cornet band will have an ice cream social this week Wednesday evening, in the Butternut park. A cordial invitation is extended to all.

Mrs. Fred Whipple and children of Granville, visited in this place last week.

### SPRINGFIELD.

Rev. E. P. Hughes preached in the Baptist church last Sunday; at the close of the sermon there was baptism.

Persol Wolcott is in poor health and unable to work.

Mrs. Sarah Gates of Powell, was visiting her home here last Sunday.

Wright Leonard is putting on a new roof on his barn. Guy Leonard of Big Pond, is doing the work.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Mattocks very pleasantly entertained their friends last Wednesday night with dancing and refreshments.

### EAST TROY.

Howard Davis of Elmira, is seriously ill at the home of Mrs. Davis' father, John Honeywell.

Thomas Vannoy of Bono Farm, had a valuable heifer killed by lightning during the shower on Sunday evening.

John Ruggles has just finished painting Lester House's dwelling, making it one of the finest in town.

Mr. and Mrs. George Shattuck and son of Elmira, Mrs. Lyn Blackwell and daughter, and sister, Miss Kate Blackwell, of Burlington, were guests last Friday of theirparents, Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Shattuck.

All remember the ice cream social to be held at the home of Elmer Churchill, on Saturday evening, June 24, for the benefit of the Ladies' Aid society. Mr. Greenough will be present with his phonograph.

### WESAUKING.

Miss Mattie Lent of Athens, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. K. Lent.

The social held at Ira Bull's last Tuesday evening was largely attended; the proceeds were $10.

Miss Helen Hayes, who has been attending school at the Business college, in Towanda is home for her Summer vacation.

Mrs. Thomas Coyle of Ghent, is caring for Mrs. N. H. Drake, who is seriously ill.

### WEST WARREN.

N. B. Rockefeller of New York City, is visiting his parents, M. H. Rockefeller and wife.

C. F. Pendleton and wife of Cheraw, S. C., are spending some time at her father's J. S. Roger's and visiting other relatives in this vicinity.

The social at the church was well attended last Thursday evening; proceeds $11.59.

**Lost? Find it with a small ad.**

### WEST FRANKLIN.

Mrs. Sophronia Smith is visiting friends in Towanda.

W. H. and Roy Crayton spent Sunday with friends at Athens.

Hyatt Smith and wife of Towanda, spent Sunday at H. P. Crayton's.

Mrs L. C. Burroughs and Miss Thursia Anderson visited at Rome over Sunday.

H. B. Burroughs and Floyd Green were transacting business at Towanda Thursday.

Children's day exercises will be held at the Baptist church next Sunday evening.

The Fairview Independent telephone company have their lines completed and in working order from this place to Henry Spencer's in Burlington. They expect to continue it into Towanda as soon as possible to connect with the Bradford County line which will give direct service to the county seat and many other points.

The ladies of the Baptist church will serve ice cream and refreshments at the hall in the afternoon and evening of July 4. Give them a call for the benefit of the church.

### LUTHERS MILLS.

About 25 of the friends of Blanche Lane gave her a pleasant surprise on Saturday evening, it being her sixteenth birthday. The evining was spent with music and games; ice cream and cake were served.

Mrs. W. B. Strope of Troy, is spending some time here.

Mr. Labarr and Hugh Lane of Sayre, were guests at G. G. and S. A. Lane's Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. Jennie Gustin of Troy, is visiting a few days at Mrs. Adelaide Knapp's and Mrs. R. M. Pruyne's.

Lora Mathers has returned home after making a short visit at Sayre.

W. P. Lane and wife spent Saturday and Sunday with their daughter at Sayre.

Born June 15, to Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Leonard, a daughter.

### NORTH ORWELL.

C. B. Eastabrooks has been planting potatoes for Vernon Prince with his planter.

Miss Jennie Moore is spending part of her vacation with her mother, Mrs. F. N. Moore.

There will be a Fourth of July celebration at North Orwell for the benefit of the hall.

Merton Reynolds of Lestershire, is visiting his wife, at W. H. Tyrrell's.

Walter Brewer is convalescing.

Hugh Alger is a member of the graduating class at Westchester Normal school. His brother John is a student at the same school; both are coming home for vacation. Hugh will teach next year near West Chester.

### SACO.

Miss Florence Lewis spent Thursday and Friday in Towanda.

Chas. Williamson of Sayre is spending some time with friends here.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Campbell of Oak Hill, visited friends at this place Sunday.

Horace Heath visited his daughter, Mrs. A. H. Ross, in Burlington, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Jennings of Sayre, spent Sunday at J. J. Lewis's.

Layman Fowler of West Virginia, was calling on old acquaintances at this place Monday.

Mrs. Catherine Heath, who has been spending the past few weeks in Corning, returned home last week.

### MYERSBURG.

Mrs.. R. C. Davis went to Wilkesbarre to be treated at the Mercy hospital, her brothers John and Edward McCrossin from there came to accompany her.

Mrs. Rhoda Abbot has returned to her home after spending the winter with her daughters.

Mrs. Reynolds of Franklindale visited Mrs. F. N. Dixon last week.

Miss Cooley is still ill.

The L. A. S. of the M. E. church entertained by Mrs. Wm. Sill was a very pleasant affair; the attendance and receipts were good.

**Timely and Valuable Suggestions.**

Many people, especially women who lead closely confined domestic lives, suffer from what in general terms is called "nervousness." Among all forms of treatment none has ever approached in success the intelligent use of Dr. David Kennedy's Favorite Remedy, of Rondout, N. Y., which promotes an easy and natural action of the digestive organs and imparts tone to the nervous system.

### HOMETS FERRY.

Mrs. Bert House and children are visiting at Marshview for a few days.

B. Eilenberger and wife of Towanda visited his neice Mrs. Arthur Wells Friday.

J. A. Biles's barn and sheds burned Friday afternon, being set afire by their small children playing in or near the barns. Hay and farming tools burned before help could get them out. By faithful work neighbors saved the house and one barn.

Bertha Irvine was shopping in Camptown Saturday.

### SOUTH BURLINGTON.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Spencer attended Children's day exercises at Burlington Sunday.

Mrs. Clark Hall of Monroeton has been visiting at George Wheeler's.

Raymond Smith of Smithfield, called at R. L. Bevan's Saturday.

**Towanda Flats.**

Mrs. Ida Bowman returned home Thursday after spending a few days with friends in Owego and Sayre.

Mrs. Lucy Scovill has returned to her home in Elmira after spending some time with friends here.

Miss Edyth Bowman spent Thursday in Sayre and Athens.

### HERRICKVILLE.

Children's day will be observed in the M. E. church on Sunday evening, June 25. A good program is in the hands of Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Morrow, who will do all they can to make it a success.

The Overpeck reunion will be held at this place in the M. E. church on Thursday, June, 29.

Henry Barnes and wife spent several days with friends at Burlington the last of the week.

Mrs. O. W. Kendall of Athens, spent last week with her sister, Mrs. G. L. Overpeck.

Mrs. J. C. Lee went last week to New York city, to visit her sister, Mrs. E. G. Putnam.

Mr. and Mrs. Miles Taylor of West Warren, spent Tuesday at M. A. Overpeck's, visiting their granddaughter, Miss Savannah Chaffee.

Miss Cynthia Gustin of Burlington, who has spent some time with friends in town, returned to her home on Tuesday.

By request the Herrickville Dramatic club will reproduce the drama, "Out in the Streets," and the side-splitting farce, "Katie's Deception, or the Troublesome Kid," for the benefit of the Rev. James Schofield monument fund, on the evening of July 4, in the M. E. church at this place. The ladies of the church will serve ice cream in the church parlors before and after the entertainment. Come and help a good cause as well as enjoy a good time.

### MONROETON.

Harry Child of Ransselaer Polytechnic Institute, and Ford Park of Syracuse University, are at their homes here to spend the summer vacations.

Miss Line Sherman of Canton, is the guest of Miss Louise Rockwell. Miss Minnie Billings of New Albany was a guest of Miss Rockwell over Sunday.

John Shaw and Miss Anna Griffiths of Laceyville, visited at M. M. Coolbaugh's over Sunday.

Miss Louise Flumerfelt, who has taught the primary grade of the school here for the past year, returned to her home at Tunkhannock last Saturday.

Misses Helen McKean and Marian Kingsley of Towanda, visited friends here Friday night and Saturday.

Miss Jennie Hull spent last Saturday with Mrs. G. H. B. Terry at Dr. Harshberger's at New Albany.

Mrs. Fred Boise and sons, Dean and Ralph of Williamsport, are spending some time with Mrs. Mary J. Boise.

Miss Bertha Horton of North Towanda, was the guest of Miss Nettie Lyon, Friday and Saturday.

### NEW ALBANY.

John Swackhammer has been at Syracuse for the past few days where his wife has been visiting.

J. K. Silvara spent the first of the week in Wilkesbarre on business.

Stewart and Howard Rhodes of Elkland have been visiting relatives here.

Miss Marcia Fitzgerald was in Elmira a few days last week.

Miss Josephine Dempsey spent the past few days at Towanda with friends and relatives.

Mrs. W. E. Clark, wife of the newly appointed minister of the Baptist church, arrived here last week from Bainbridge, N. Y., and was tendered a reception.

M. M. Corson, B. W. Wilcox and E. J. Billings were in Williamsport last week, subpoenaed on the Davison counterfeiting case.

Mrs. J. G. Weed and Mrs. Joseph Heverly spent last Wednesday in Athens and attended the colonial meeting of the Tioga chapter of the D. A. R.

Miss Ruie Allen is visiting friends in Sayre for a few days.

Mrs. G. H. B. Terry of Wyalusing spent last week with her paarents here.

F. A. Arey is building a new house; the foundation is being put up very fast.

### EVERGREEN.

Mr. and Mrs. John Allen and Mrs. Melvin Allen spent Sunday with friends at Mont Tabor.

Mrs. G. E. Allen is ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wilson and daughter Ethel of Laddsburg, are spending some time at A. J. Wilson's.

Children's day exercises held at the church Sunday evening were largely attended.

Mrs. J. W. Terry has returned from a visit to Geneva.

Misses Emma and Minnie Hakes of Mont Tabor, spent Sunday with their parents at this place.

Martin Hatch and family of Lamoka are spending some time with their parents at this place.

The Evergreen Christian society will hold an ice cream social Tuesday evening, June 27, at the home of Mrs. George Robinson.

Irvine Terry of Erie, formerly of this place, was called home on account of the death of his mother, Mrs. John Terry of New Albany.

### ELWELL.

William Junk has moved in to his new house.

Born Sunday to Mr. and Mrs. Charles S. Sweet of Sugar Run, a son.

F. S. Perry had a stone bee Wednesday of last week. A good job was done.

Mrs. T. C. Wakefield of Hartwick, N. Y., was visiting her cousin, C. M. Sweet, Saturday last.

Mrs. Adelia Peet of Leraysville, visited her brother, Alonzo Rogers, Saturday and Sunday.

Henry Parmer, wife and family accompanied by Miss Mary Ellen Bouncer, of Lopez, were entertained at Charles Morningstar's, Saturday of last week.

### EAST SMITHFIELD.

Mrs, Will Scouten and sister, Mrs. Will Farnsworth, went to Horseheads last week to visit friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Collin Wood, Clayton Gerould, Mrs. Diton Phelps and Mrs.. Alice Vincent attended the meeting at Granville, Sunday.

Rev. McGerald of Buffalo, is to hold a revival service in the M. E. church and would have begun here Sunday night, if the rain had not prevented, the meetings to continue two weeks. Rev. McGerald is highly recommended as an earnest christian worker.

Eugene Kingsley and Frank Scott, with their wives, visited at Guy Bosworth's at Nichols, last week Wednesday and Thursday.

Mrs. Eunice Wood Matthews, who lived near Penn Yan, is dead. She is the last of Jonathan Wood's family, all of whom grew up in this town. Mrs. Wood has been partially helpless for several years from the effects of paralysis.

The remains of Sevellon Wilcox were brought here for burial Monday. About 15 years ago Mr. Wilcox moved from here to Elmira and a few years ago moved to a farm near Horseheads, where he lived with his daughter, Miss Esther.

### ORWELL.

Charles Pendleton of Middletown, N. Y., has been spending a week at S. A. Chubbuck's.

Miss Francis Frisbie, who has been attending Elmira Female college is stopping in this place, on her way home to Bloomsburg.

Fred Case of Saginaw, Mich., made a short visit with his sister, Mrs. Kate Lott, the first of the week.

Mrs. Fred Tyrrell and two children of Owego, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Platt, recently.

J. P. Coburn spent Friday and Saturday in Waverly and Owego.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Matteson of Spring Hill, are visiting at E. A. Matteson's.

Mrs. Fred Snyder and son of Athens, are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Bosworth.

Children's day exercises will be held in the M. E. church Sunday, June 25, at 10:30 o'clock.

Leslie Dimon, carrier on R. F. D. No. 16, has come out in a brand new rig of which the patrons may well be proud.

### RUMMERFIELD.

Mrs. Helen Elliot of Elmira, visited her mother the past week..

Mrs. James Moon of Sayre, visited her father over Sunday.

Flora's day in the Standing Stone grange was observed in the hall June 14. The hall was trimmed with laurel, evergreen, roses and lilies in profusion.

The M. E. Sunday school will hold their Children's day exercises next Sunday afternoon, June 25, at 2:30 o'clock.

Henry Fisher is dangerously ill.

### WINDHAM SUMMIT.

Mrs. C. O. Vangorder is entertaining her aunt, Mrs. Snyder of Candor, for a short time.

J. S. Vought was in Athens Monday to attend the teachers' examination.

The last horse swap of the season was between Harry Corbin and a party from Nichols, and the pecular feature of the case is that the next morning after the trade was completed, the horses were found back in their old stalls, even though Mr. Corbin's horse was securely locked in the barn. It is currently reported that a man living in Nichols aided the horses to change places by pulling the staple on the barn.

## THE MARKETS.

**The Market Reports in the Reporter-Journal and Republican are corrected every week. For Towanda, the quotations on Groceries and Provisions are furnished by M. J. Long; on Hay, Straw and Grain by the Susquehanna Valley Hay Co. The Troy markets are reported by F. H. Hovey, and the General Markets are from the Produce and Live Stock Exchanges.**

**Towanda Provision Market.**

| | PAYING | SELLING. |
|---|---|---|
| BUTTER | 17c to c | |
| EGGS | 16c to c | |
| CHEESE | | 13 |
| LARD | | 11 a 12c |
| BEESWAX | 22 a | |
| BEANS | $1.80 a $2.25 | |
| CORN | 60c to 65c | |
| OATS | 37c to 40c | |
| CORN MEAL | | $1.25 a 1.45 |
| FEED | | $1.20 a 1.25 |
| FLOUR, per sack | | $1.40 a 1.70 |
| POTATOES | to c | |

**Towanda Hay and Grain Market.**

LOOSE HAY—No. 1, $8; No. 2, $6; clover mixed, $5.

BALED HAY—No. 1, $10; No. 2, $6 a $8.

STRAW—Loose Long rye, $10; loose short rye, $5, loose oat, $4; baled short rye, $10to$11; baled oat straw $6to$7.

**Troy Markets.**

| | PAYING |
|---|---|
| BUTTER, fresh tubs | 23c to c |
| EGGS | 16c |
| BEESWAX | a 22c |
| OATS, per bushel | 38 a 40c |
| POTATOES, per bushel | 25 to 30 |
| BUTTER, prints | 23c 24c |

**General Markets.**

New York, June 20.

BUTTER—Creamery, extras, 90 to 95 score, per pound, 20½a20¾c. (Mercantile Exchange official quotation, extras, 20½c.); firsts, 19½a20c.; seconds, 18a19c.; thirds, 17a17½c.; state dairy, tubs, extras, 19½a20c.; firsts, 18½a19c.; seconds, 17a18c.; thirds, 15½a16¼c.

CHEESE—New, state, full cream, small, colored and white, fine, 9¼c.; fair to choice, 8¾a9¼c.; large, colored and white, fine, 9½c.; light skims, choice, 7¼a7½c.; part skims, prime, 6¼a6½c.; good, 5a5¼c.; common to fair, 3½a4¼c.; full skims, 1a2c.

EGGS—State, Pennsylvania and nearby, selected, white, fancy, 20a21c.; choice, 19a19½c.; mixed, extra, 19c.; prime to choice, 17a18c.; dirties, 9a13½c.; checks, 9a11c.

DRESSED POULTRY—Broilers, Philadelphia, 3 to 4 pounds to pair, per pound, 30a35c.; Pennsylvania, 28a30c.; fowls, dry picked, medium size, 12a12¼c.; scalded, 12½c.; heavyweights, 12a12½c.; old cocks, per pound, 8a9c.; spring ducks, Long Island and eastern, per pound, 18c.; Pennsylvania, 16a18c.; squabs, prime, large, white, per dozen, $2.50; mixed, $2.12a2.25; dark, $1.50a1.62.

Reporter-Journal—best $1 weekly.

### RIDGEBURY.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Sadler of Elmira, visited over Sunday at O. A. Burnham's.

A very severe electric storm passed over this section Sunday evening. Lightning struck the cupola of Frank Halstead's barn, ran down and sliverd the barn doors, deafening one horse but did not fire the barn.

John Carr's family have moved back home after one months stay at C. E. Hanlon's lumber.

Walter Pease and family of Elkland, returned to their home after a week's stay at Del Larrison's.

### CODDING.

Mrs. James Darrow and little daughter Pauline spent the past two weeks with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Fletcher.

Mrs. Sarila Higgins of Ulster, visited her brother and other friends here last week.

Mrs. Mary Phelps and granddaughter Pansie of East Smithfield and Miss Delight Thomas and Miss Jennie Tilman of Riggs, were recent visitors at F. C. Wakely's.

The Misses Ada McClelland of Hoblet and Ethel Wakely of Burlington, spent Saturday night and Sunday with their parents.

Mrs. Ellen Brown is visiting friends at East Smithfield.

**Public Vendue.**

The undersigned will sell at public vendue on the premises lately occupied by H. J. Shaylor in Towanda Borough, on Saturday the first day of July at one o'clock p. m. a lot of new and second hand buggies, two second hand lumber wagons, two mowing machines, and a quantity of crating. Terms. All sums of ten dollars or less, cash. All sums above ten dollars three months with approved security.

W. J. YOUNG,
WILLIAM LITTLE,
22june2t Trustees.

**Executor's Notice.**

Letters testamentary on the estate of Nelson Dunn, deceased, late of Burlington Township, Pa., having been granted the undersigned, notice is hereby given that all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and all persons having claims against it must present them duly authenticated for settlement N. D. SPENCER, Executor.
May 16, 1905. s22jun*

**Administrator's Notice.**

Letters of administration on the estate of Helen Lindley, deceased, late of Towanda Borough, Bradford Co., Pa., having been granted the undersigned, notice is hereby given that all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and all persons having claims against it must present them duly authenticated for settlement.

WM. P. WILSON, Administrator.
May 23, 1905.

**Ladies' $3.50 shoes for $3 at the 2, 2½ and 3, Towanda, Pa.**

Our want ads bring buyers and sellers together.

**Low Fare Excursions**

to Colorado and Pacific coast points. On account of Lewis and Clark exposition and various conventions in Colorado and on the Pacific coast, during the season special low fare excursion tickets will be sold, which will provide a most delightful trip through the west at a cost of about one-half of the usual railroad fare. Ask Lehigh Valley ticket agents for particulars.
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**ORPHANS COURT SALE.**

By virtue of an order issued out of the Orphans' Court of Bradford County, Pa., the undersigned, administrator of the estate of E. W. Morgan, will expose to public sale on the premises, on

**Saturday, July 8, 1905,**

Commencing at 11 a. m. the following described property:

All that certain lot, piece or parcel of land, situate, lying and being in the Borough of Burlington, said County and State, bounded and described as follows, to wit:

On the north by lands of Helen Brown, formerly land of Mrs. Wright; on the east by the Berwick Turnpike; on the south by lands of Ryan Lewis estate, formerly land of L. S. Wright; on the west by lands of —— Dickerman formerly A. McKean estate. Containing about one acre of land be the same more or less, with dwelling house and fruit trees thereon, being the same land conveyed to E. W. Morgan and Permilia Morgan his wife by deed dated Sept. 26, 1903, and recorded in Deed Book 254, page 8. Permilia Morgan died Dec. 17, 1903, intestate, leaving to survive her her husband, E. W. Morgan above stated.

Whereupon the Court granted the prayer of the petitioner and an Inquest was awarded. That at an Orphans' Court held at Towanda, in and for said County and State on the 8th day of May the following decree of the Court was made:

Sur rule upon the parties in interest, in the above estate, to accept or refuse to take property at the valuation put upon it by the inquest or show cause why the said real estate should not be sold in case said parties should neglect or refuse to take the same at the valuation aforesaid.

And now, May 8, 1905, it appearing to the Court that due notice of the above rule was given to all parties in interest, to wit: D. W. Lane, assignee of G. L. Morgan; Jennie M. Pierce, minor child of —— Pierce; Floyd A. Murray, Jessie A. Murray and Arthur J. Murray, minor children of Jane M. Murray, upon their guardian ad litem, W. J. Young of Towanda, Pa., upon Newton Morgan, at 766 Spalding St., Elmira, N. Y., by registered letter, which was received by him, who are all the parties interested in the original petition, and the said parties not appearing in answer to said rule, and no cause being shown against a sale

It is on motion of J. N. Califf, pro petitioner, ordered and decreed, that D. W. Lane, Administrator of E. W. Morgan, deceased, expose the said real estate, to public sale on the premises, and that he sell the same, subject to the confirmation of the Court, upon the following terms, to wit: Twenty-five per cent of the purchase money to be paid when the property is struck down, and the balance of the purchase money to be paid upon the confirmation of the sale by the Court, and the execution and delivery by said executor of the deed thereof. Bond in the sum of $1500 to be given by the Administrator. Notice of said sale to be given as required by Act of Assembly. By the Court,

A. C. FANNING, P. J.
D. W. LANE,
Administrator of the Estate of E. W. Morgan.
June 11, 1905.—3t.

**Administrator's Notice.**

Letters of administration on the estate of Fred L. Bailey, deceased, late of Springfield Township Pa., having been granted the undersigned, notice is hereby given that all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and all persons having claims against it must present them duly authenticated for settlement.

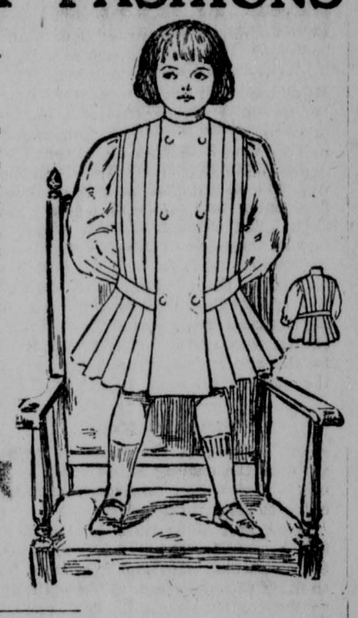
R. ELMER SMITH, Administrator.
June 8, 1905. s20july*

# Reporter-Journal Patterns

From the Latest

# NEW YORK FASHIONS

**Pattern For a Fetching Frock For the Boy or Girl Designed by Martha Dean—No. 4663**



Among frocks for little folks there is nothing more youthful and becoming than the one piece dress in plait effect. Here is one showing broad plaits in full length which furnish ample fullness for the skirt and give the little fellow a trim, sturdy appearance. The frock closes at one side of the front beneath the generous box plait, and large pearl buttons add to its attractiveness. The belt, which may be of the material or leather, confines the plaits in long waisted effect and may be worn over or under the front box plait. The sleeve is the popular bishop model which is so simply constructed. Blue or white butchers' linen would make this small garment a very fetching one for summer, while any of the woolen fabrics might be used for cold weather wear. Pattern No. 4663 comes in sizes 2 to 9 years.

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## NEW ALBANY COINER GUILTY ON ONE COUNT.

### Brotherinlaw Wanted, as He is Believed to Be Principal Offender.

In United States court at Williamsport on Friday morning, the jury in the case of Frank Davidson, the New Albany man charged with counterfeiting, reported with a sealed verdict. The defendant was found guilty on the charge of having in his possession the moulds and stamps with fraudulent intent, but was acquitted on the charges of having made any counterfeit money or having any of it in his possession. His attorney, Stephen H. Smith,, Esq., of Towanda, immediately made motion for a new trial.

It is likely, however, that the court will suspend sentence on Davidson and allow him his liberty on bail until the authorities have endeavored to apprehend his brotherinlaw, Howard Gray, who is believed to be the guilty man regarding the making of the money.

## SEXTETTE IN JAIL.

### Burgess Pratt Sentences Arcade Block Rough-housers.

As a result of a police raid on the Parker homes in the Arcade block on Friday evening, the Bradford county jail was enriched by six new prisoners. All were hauled before Burgess Pratt on Saturday morning and witnesses testified to the language used and the condition in which the gang were when the police found them. The sextette had two bottles of whiskey and a case of beer and were drinking the liquor out of broken cups, glasses, dippers and anything that will hold the stuff. The house was said to have been in a frightful condition.

John Rogers of Laquin, one of the men in the party, was given a fine of $10 and costs or 30 days in jail, Oscar Chilson was given $5 and costs or 15 days; Mrs. Clara Parker got the same as Rogers and Anna Parker, Lillie Parker and Mrs. Cora Parker were given sentences of $5 and costs or 15 days. All went to jail. Valentine Bailey of Overshot, who was arrested, claimed that he had only come into the house, attracted there by the noise and was discharged by the burgess. Sidney Parker became obnoxious after the hearing and when the burgess told him to keep still, Sidney got impudent and the burgess had Chief Miller accommodate him with a cell in the lock-up while his ardor cooled off.

## ABOUT A DRESS PATTERN.

### North Towanda Woman Will Be Given a Hearing on Friday.

On Saturday a man by the name of Hankinson of Wysox came to Towanda and purchased a dress pattern and a necktie. He left the package containing the goods at the Bradford House on Bridge street. Later when he went back the package was missing. Suspicion pointed to Mrs. Nellie Howard and she with Mrs. Whalen, both of North Towanda, were taken to Guy C. Hollon's office.

The Howard woman walked to the east end of the hall and there on the floor later was found the dress pattern. The Whalen woman admitted in the presence of Mrs. Howard and Mr. Hollon that she was the one that had taken the necktie. Mrs. Howard was arrested and will be given a hearing before Justice Meredith on Friday of this week. The necktie was found in the gutter near the place where the party got out of he wagon.

### Firemen's Meet.

In Coudersport the board of managers for the coming Five-County Firemen's Convention in August have decided to offer these prizes:

Hook and lader race, $50 to first; $30 to second. Hub and hub race, $50 $30 to second. Huband hub race, $50 to first; $30 to second. Prize drill, $25 to first; $15 to second. Best appearing company in line, $25. Band contest, $50. About $475 was the proceeds of a big fair in Coudersport, closing June 2, held to raise funds toward the convention expenses.

### King Arrested For Camptown Job.

United States Marshal Leonard was in Towanda Friday afternoon and arrested Edwrd King on a charge of robbing the postoffice at Camptown. He was given a preliminary hearing before Commissioner Mix last evening and was held for a general hearing on Wednesday. King has been in jail for a week on a charge of illegal train riding.

### On Driving Trip.

John Barrett, accompanied by the Misses Anna McKenna, Mary Welch, Mary Crutty, Mary Devine, Florence Parsons, Bernard Welch and Bessie McIntyre drove to the home of Mr. Barrett's friend, Miss Mary Jordan, at Cherry Mills Sunday.

### Suicides Over Wife's Grave.

Driven to despondency over the death of his wife, John Donovan, of Binghamton, went to her grave in the Catholic cemetery and committed suicide by shooting himself through the head. Donovan was about 50 years of age.

### New Member of Bar.

S. Bergen Park, Esq., of Monroeton was on Saturday admitted to the Bradford county bar on motion of William Maxwell, Esq. Mr. Park is a graduate of the Dickinson law school at Carlisle and is a member of the bar of Cumberland county.

### Rural Carrier Examination.

An examination for appointment to the position of rural carrier in the county of Bradford w... be held at Towanda on Saturday, June 24, 1905. Examination will begin at 9:30 a. m.

## ABOUT FOLKS YOU KNOW.

### Local Photographs of People Who Are Coming and Going.

Rogers Hale is home from Cornell university.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Maynard of Athens, spent Sunday in Towanda.

Joseph Piollet of Sayre has been visiting here and at Wysox.

Miss Clara Wilt is spending a few days with friends at Wyalusing.

Mrs. J. B. Vendergrift is visiting friends at ithaca for a few days.

Miss Mabel S. Bennett is home from the Moravian school at Bethlehem.

Ahira Wickham of Princeton, N. J., is home for a two weeks vacation.

Miss Fannie Walters is visiting at the home of Dr. and Mrs. Carey in Elmira.

William E. Lane, Esq., is at Easton, attending the commencement at Lafayette college.

Miss Carrie Lindley of Canton, was the guest last week of the Misses Sill on Cherry street.

Mrs. W. G. Shrier and daughter went on Saturday to Athens to remain for two weeks.

Mrs. David Abbott and Mrs. Blanche Blakslee of Coal Glen, are visiting friends in Towanda.

J. H. Baker has been called to Roaring Branch by the serious illness of his brother Edgar Baker.

Frank J. Kline left Saturday for Galeton where he will work at the laundry trade for a few weeks.

Miss Sarah Jennings and Miss Lucy Sweet are visiting the former's father, C. H. Jennings, at Jennings, Md.

Mr. and Mrs. Kessler and children went Friday to Nordmont to spend the Summer at their former home.

Mrs. Harry L. Green and children have returned from a three weeks' visit with friends in Utica and Sayre.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Lines and Mrs. M. E. Rowe of New Britian, Conn., are visiting at W. V. Rowe's at Wysox.

Mrs.Charles S. Means has issued invititions for a lawn tea at her Lake Wesauking cottage on Thursday afternoon.

E. Ashumn Parsons, jr., has secured a position with Jennings Bros. at Jennings, Md., and left for that place Monday.

S. M. Wells of New Era, who seeks the Democratic nomination for county commissioner, was an Ochs Hotel guest Monday.

Dr. and Mrs. F. P. Layman were in town Thursday. Dr. Layman was one of the 533 to receive degrees at the University of Pennsylvania Wednesday of last week.

Misses Julia and Martha Hurley, Miss Mary Lynch and Miss Mame Kirwin of Towanda, attended the dance at the Movanho club at Sayre on Friday evening.

Mrs. Marion Schmauch left Saturday for Wilkesbarre where she will join a party, who in their private car will make a two months tour through Yellowstone Park, California and the west.

Among those who will take in the senior festivities at Cornell this week are Miss Gertrude Packer of New York, Miss Theresa Piollet of Wysox, Miss Eliza Shaut of Laporte, Thomas Piollet of Wysox and Lewis Moscrip of Towanda.


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## CLASS OF NINE GRADUATED FROM ST. AGNES SCHOOL.

### Class Average Maintained Was High Program of Exercises.

The annual comencement exercises of St. Agnes school were held Tuesday evening and a class of seven students were graduated from the academic department and two from the commercial department. These received diplomas: Paul A. Cullinan, Joseph A. Hogan, Charles S. Hall, Rose V. Connolly, Marguerite A. Ronan, Margaret H. Sullivan and Hellen E. Coyle, academic; Josephine M. Kennedy and Ellen A. Scanlon, commercial.

The examanations this year were a marked success. As a whole the class surpasses any previously graduated from St. Agnes, the lowest percentage being 85 and the highest 95. The examinations were conducted by Sister Katherine of Wilesbarre, who is in charge of the schools of the Sisters of Mercy in the Scranton diocese. A gold medal was awarded Paul Cullinan for the highest average in his class.

### A Delightful Entertainment.

The closing exercises for the year were held in spacious St. Agnes hall, which was handsomely decorated for the occasion with flowers, ferns and the class colors of white and gold, and filled with friends and patrons of the school. The St. Agnes Harmonic club played a number of selections during the evening in a very pleasing manner. The members of the club are Mary Cullinan, piano; Paul Cullinan, Bernard Kirwin, Charles Fairchild, Catherine Lynch, Ruth Cheeney, mandolins; Mary Kirwin, guitar; Joseph McMahon, banjo.

The first number was "American Eagle," Boehm, by the Harmonic club, with Misses Mary McMahon and Mary Bustin at the piano. Miss Rose V. Connolly delivered the salutatory, after which Rev. J. J. Coroner distributed the diplomas. Then followed a duet, "No You Don't," by Misses Florence Sullivan and Helen Kirwin. The little ones of the school had a place on the program and gave a "Baby Show" in a very interesting manner. Mary and Gertrude Campbell followed with a duet, "Festival March," and a pantomime, "The Holy City," was given by a company of young ladies. "Don't Be in a Hurry to Go," a song by the little boys, was one of the best numbers of the interesting program. The St. Agnes Cadets, John Crimmins, first lieutenant, and Eugene Van-Auken, second lieutenant, gave a highly creditable drill under the direction of Captain Philips of Wilkesbarre, a member of the Ninth regiment, who has been drilling the boys for several days.

"Waves of the Hudson" waltz by the Harmonic club, a rose fete by young ladies and a recitation, "Drifted Out to Sea," by Loretta Buckley, preceded the presentation of a drama in three acts entitled "Falsely Accused." Between the scenes of this play a number of vocal and instrumental selections were given, and at its close Paul Cullinan delivered the valedictory address.

### Cast of Characters.

The characters of "Falsely Accused" taken as follows by boys of the school: "Jasper Rosenblade," Robert Quigley; "Claude Roseblade," William Mahoney; "Jonothan Roseblade," father of the boys, Paul Cullinan; "Humphrey Higson," Earl of Milford's steward, Charles Bolan; "Jonas Hundle," James Walsh; "Rev. Father Hilton," pastor of Milford, Charles Barrett; "Lord Viscount Elmore," Charles Hall; "Lieutenant George Florville," Joseph Hogan; "Blinkey Brown," and "Squinty Smith," eccentric sports, Robert McCarty and Charles Hogan; "Sir Henry Harrington," Edward Mahoney; sheriff, Cornelius Hall; servant, John Crimmins.

The play was given in a highly creditable manner by the young boys, and reflected great credit upon the training they had received.

## FLAG DAY CELEBRATED.

### Exercises Held by George Clymer Chapter D. A. R.

The George Clymer chapter D. A. R celebrated Flag day on Wednesday of last week and held its annual meeting for the election of officers at the residence of Mrs. R. A. Mercur. Twenty-two members were present and responded to roll call with poetical and historical quotations. Miss Julia Hopkins of Wyalusing was present as a guest and was gladly welcomed. She is a member of the Wilkesbarre chapter.

After the singing of "The Star Spangled Banner," the regent gave a review of the year's work, showing that the chapter is increasing in numbers and interest. The secretary's report shows the money donated for books, for the Towanda library funds, for Continental Hall and other objects and the record of interesting meetings held each month, except in the summer, with well rendered programs. The registrar's report shows 52 members and a number of applications for membership. After the treasurer's report the election of officers was held and resulted as follows:

Regent, Mrs. Simon Rendall; vice regent, Mrs. C. L. Tracy; recording secretary, Mrs. Ed. Carter; corresponding secretary, Mrs. William Little; treasurer, Mrs. E. D. Rundell; historian, Mrs. R. A. Mercur; registrar, Mrs. J. W. Codding; committee on safety, Mrs. Elsie Means, Mrs. T. Reed Braund, Mrs. John H. Pennypacker and Mrs. W. T. Horton. It was decided to hold the meetings for the next year at the residences of the members. The chapter adjourned to meet again in October.

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## FORMER TOWANDA YOUNG MAN MARRIED AT ASHLEY.

### Rev. Alfred Morrison Weds Miss Cora Field.

A pretty home wedding was that solemnized at Ashley on Wednesday evening of last when Miss Cora, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William S. Field, and Rev. Alfred Hugh Morrison of Baldwin, Kan., were united in marriage by Rev. Dr. George H. Broening, pastor of the Presbyterian Church of Ashley.

The color scheme was green and white, and it was tastefully carried out. One end of the room was banked to the ceiling with ferns and palms, and this greenery made a beautiful background for the bridal party. Palms, potted plants and cut flowers were also artistically arranged on the mantel, piano and in other parts of the room. The bride's table was placed directly under the gas chandelier, from which streamers descended to each corner of the table, and under which was the bride's cake. At precisely 8 o'clock to the strains of the wedding march Lucile Scott and Florence Morrison, the little flower girls, entered the room, followed by the maid of honor, Miss Edna B. Giles, of Ashley, who carried a large shower bouquet of pink roses and sweet pea blossoms. Then followed the bride to be leaning on the arm of her father. She carried a shower bouquet of white roses and lilies of the valley.

The bride's gown was of old English embroidered batiste, and she also wore a veil caught up with lilies of the valley.

The maid of honor wore a dress of Paris muslin trimmed with eyelet embroidery and German val lace. The flower girls were dressed in white and each carried a basket of flowers.

The music was furnished by Arnold Lohmann, violin, and John Shepherd, piano. The best man was William K. Betts of Towanda.

The bride's gift to the maid of honor was an opal ring, and the groom presented a scarf pin to his best man. After the ceremony and the congratulations the bride and groom and the guests sat down to an elaborate wedding supper, served by Mrs. Hochreiter. Small tables were arranged in the several rooms and on the porch, which was inclosed.

The bride is a graduate of Mansfield State Normal School and has taught in the Ashley public schools for a number of years, and has been an efficient helper in church and Sunday school work.

The groom is a Presbyterian minister, his charge being in Baldwin, Kan. He is a graduate of Lafayette and of McCormick Theological Seminary of Chicago. The young couple were the recipients of a large number of beautiful presents, consisting of silver, china, cut glass, linen, etc. The newly wedded couple will take an extended wedding trip, but will return to Ashley before leaving for their future home in Baldwin, Kan.

The following out of town guests attended the wedding: Mrs. Nancy Morrison and daughter Ella, Mr. and Mrs. Lamar Hay, Miss Margaret Hay, Miss Grace Decker, Miss Florence Decker, and Miss Marietta Meredith, of Towanda; Margaret Clark O'Neil, of Elizabeth; Miss Alice Dunn, of Nanticoke; Mr. and Mrs. Richard Lutzey, Mr. and Mrs. P. Bead and Miss Fannie Berger of Wilkesbarre; Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Morrison and daughter Florence of Sayre; Mr. and Mrs. Henry Merritt of Plains; Miss Gertrude Vail, of Jermyn; Mrs. Eugene Beck and Miss Eugenia Burt, of Scranton; Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Thorburn of Forty Fort; Miss Lou Maxville of Wilkesbarre and B. Frank Roberts of Washington, Pa. —Wilkesbarre Record.

### School of Railroading.

The Lehigh Valley railroad has started a school for the examination of its employes on the book of rules, similar to the school held three years ago. Sessions are held in the trainmen's reading room, over the L. V. station in Sayre, and will continue until all employes from every department have taken the examination. B. F. Dunfee of Towanda and William Waugh of Sayre have charge of the trainmen. The dispatchers of the Sayre office will take turn abouts with agents and operators and will also assist with the other work. This same routine was conducted by the same persons in 1902. Five or six weeks time will be required for the completion of the examinations.—Valley Record.

## SOME JUNE WEDDINGS.

### Several Prominent Couples Married in County Towns.

On Wednesday, June 14, Fred Eddy, oldest son of Mr. and Mrs. G. S. Eddy of LaPorte, was united in marriage with Miss Eleanor Tripp, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Tripp of LaPorte, by Rev. S. B. Bidlack of Muncy Valley, in the presence of invited guests who were immediate relatives of the contracting parties.

At 3 o'clock p. m., Miss Emma Cole of Dushore, rendered the Lohengrin wedding march when the bridal party decended to the parlor and took their places beneath a lovely arch of evergreen and flowers, where the solemn vows made them man and wife.

The bride looked charming in a handsome costume of white china silk, and carried white peonies.

The bride was attended by Miss Fannie Tripp of Elmira, as bride's maid, who wore a gown of white silk. The groom had as his best man John Boss of Williamsport. The rooms were beautifully decorated with evergreen, ferns, and flowers.

After congratulations had been extended to Mr. and Mrs. Eddy, the guests were served with an elegant luncheon. Mr. Eddy is one of LaPorte's leading young men and Mrs. Eddy is a popular young lady in the same town where she has grown to womanhood. They left in the evening for a short wedding trip to New York, Philadelphia and Washington, and will return next wek to Wilkesbarre where the groom is employed.

### Minier—Ayer.

A Boulder, Montana, paper of June 3, contained the following notice:

"Miss Maude Ayer and Frank Minier will be married this afternoon at the residence of T. A. Wickes by Rev. S. B. McClelland. Miss Ayer has been a teacher in the Boulder schools the past year and Mr. Minier is one of the valley's prosperous ranchers. Fred Ayer, brother of the bride is here from Great Falls."

The bride is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. O. F. Ayer of Sheshequin. Gradating from the S. C. I., she became a successful school teacher in her home town and at Towanda, where she taught one year. She is an accomplished musician, a most exemplary character every way, and will be greatly missed in the social and educational circles of the county. The groom is also a native of Sheshequin, but for the past 20 years has lived in the west, where he has prospered. The many friends in Bradford county send congratulations.

### Birke-Palmer.

In the presence of a large number of relatives and friends completely filling the Church of the Epihany at Sayre, Miss Anna Palmer, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Palmer, Desmond St. was married Wednesday night of last week to John Birke of Wilkesbarre. The bridal party entered the church at 6 o'clock to the strains of Mendelssohn's wedding march played by Miss Gertrude Stevens. At the altar the marriage ceremony was performed by Rev. J. L. Shanley. The maid of honor was Miss Daisy Palmer, the bride's sister. E. Dennis Kigheren of Wilkesbarre was best man and John Boyle, Thomas McClosky and Christie Smith of Sayre were the ushers.

### Weller-MacDonald.

H. N. Weller, assistant cashier of the Athens National bank, and Miss Lena MacDonald, were married at the home of the bride in Sheshequin at 8:30 o'clock on Wednesday evening of last week, by Rev. Herbert Graves, pastor of the Towanda Universalist church in the presence of the relatives and a few intimate friends of the contracting parties. The wedding march from Lohengrin was rendered by Mrs. Hampton Huff of Sayre. Mrs. Weller for the last three years has been a teacher in the Athens public schools and has many friends in Athens.

### Frost—Shearer.

Miss Clara Amelia Frost of Athens and Louis Shearer of Sayre were married at the home of the bride's mother, Mrs. S. E. Frost by Rev. W. H. Sawtelle, pastor of the Presbyterian church in the presence of the immediate relatives of the bride and groom on Wednesday of last week. After a short wedding trip Mr. and Mrs. Shearer will return to Athens and make their home with the bride's mother.

### Kelley-Randall.

Cards have been received in Athens announcing the marriage of Rev. Will Arvin Kelley and Miss Blanche Grace Randall. The ceremony took place at the home of the bride, Mr. and Mrs. M. O. Randall, DeKalb, N. Y., June 12, 1905, and they will be at home in Athens, June 16.

### Packer-Fearon.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Fearon of Sayre, have announced the marriage of their daughter, Ellen Delphine, to Mr. Harry Edward Packer, of New York. The wedding occured at Sayre Thursday noon. Mr. and Mrs. Packer will be at home at 1142 Franklin avenue, New York city after August 1.

### VanDuzer—Utter.

Leon A. Van Duzer of Sheshequin and Miss Lulu Mae Utter of Sayre were married in the parlors of Hotel Norwood, Waverly, on Sunday afternoon at 5 o'clock. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Ira W. Bingham.

### Babcock—Costello.

William Babcock and Grace Costello both of LeRaysville, were united in marriage Friday at high noon at the parsonage of the Methodist Episcopal church in Towanda, by Rev. O. A. Houghton, D. D., the pastor.

## GEER—WHITMYER.

### Wedding of Interest Here Performed in Nebraska.

On June 8, at the home of the bride's parents in Columbus, Neb., occurred the marriage of Miss Gertrude Whitmyer and Howard Geer. Mr. Geer has just been graduated from the electrical engineering course of the University of Nebraska. Miss Whitmyer arrived the Sunday preceding the wedding from Park City, Utah, where she had been teaching. Rev. G. A. Munro of the Congregational church performed the ceremony.

Mr. and Mrs. Geer will go to Los Angeles, where Mr. Geer has a position as electrical engineer. They represent two of the most prominent families of the community where they reside. The mother of the bride was Emma Pekham of Columbia X Roads who was very well known in the eastern part of this county and was a successful teacher.

### Walker—Hitchcock.

On Wednesday evening, June 14, Perry Walker and Miss Mabel Hitchcock were married at the M. E. parsonage at LeRaysville by Rev. B. N. Butts.

### Spalding-Struhm.

Willard Spalding of Athens and Miss Adelaide Struhm of Sayre were married Wednesday evening of last week in Elmira by Rev. F. C. Martin, pastor of the Lutheran church.

### Eddy-Verbeck.

Bert Eddy, of South Waverly and Miss Verna Verbeck, of Sheshequin, were united in marriage at the parsonage in Waverly on Wednesday, June 14, by the Rev. M. S. Godshall.

### Flick—Blend.

At Masontown, in Monroe township, on Saturday, Miss Grace Blend, daughter of Mrs. H. Blend, and Frederick Flick of Laquin, were united in marriage by Rev. L. L. Wilcox.

### Passage-Cole.

Ralph Passage and Miss Eva Cole, of Towanda township were married by Justice of the Peace John Orcutt at his office in this place Monday afternoon.

## TOWANDA DOWNED AGAIN.

### Sans Souci Park Team of Wilkesbarre Did the Trick.

Thursday's ball game at the East Side grounds with the Sans Souci Park team of Wilkesbarre, was a very interesting contest, although the result was a disappointment to the local fans. The visiors knew the game and played it in a gentlemanly manner. Five of their seven runs were made in the fifth inning, when four fine hits were made.. Up to that time nothing but goose eggs had been garnered by either side. In the sixth Towanda scored one, in the seventh 2, when it looked for a time as though they would pull out of the hole, and another in the eighth. Four was all they could do.

Smythe pitched for Towanda and fanned but two, having played a game the day before; Laird for the visitors fanned five. The hits were even, nine each. Staub and M. Madigan each made three-baggers. Fahey and Sweeney each poked out a two-bagger for the visitors. The game lasted an hour and 37 minutes and was umpired by E. D. Means. Attendance was good. Score by innings:

| Towanda | R | H | O | A | E |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Staub, l. f. | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Klink, c. f. | 1 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 |
| Kline, r. f. | 1 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 0 |
| M. Madigan 3b | 1 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| Putman, 2b. | 0 | 1 | 2 | 2 | 0 |
| Lynch, ss | 1 | 2 | 0 | 3 | 0 |
| J. Madigan, c | 0 | 1 | 3 | 3 | 0 |
| Ryan, 1b | 0 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 |
| Smythe, p. | 0 | 1 | 6 | 6 | 1 |
| Totals | 4 | 9 | 27 | 16 | 1 |

| San Souci | R | H | O | A | E |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Yeager, 3b | 0 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 0 |
| Dougherty, 2b | 1 | 2 | 3 | 2 | 1 |
| Fahey, ss | 1 | 1 | 2 | 2 | 2 |
| Kilcoyne, 1b | 0 | 0 | 10 | 0 | 1 |
| Mayock, lf | 0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 |
| Dawson, c. f. | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 1 |
| McHugh, r. f. | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| Sweeney, c. | 3 | 3 | 5 | 3 | 0 |
| Laird, p. | 1 | 1 | 2 | 10 | 0 |
| Totals | 7 | 9 | 27 | 19 | 6 |

Towanda .....0 0 0 0 0 1 2 1 0—4
Sans Souci .....0 0 0 0 5 0 1 0 1—7

What the Towanda team needs to play winning ball, is good, hard team practice, and when in the game to inject some of that commodity called "ginger" into their play. They should have won Thursday's game. Hits were even and Towanda's hits should have netted more scores.

### Birthday Party.

Misses Pauline and Frances, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. F. S. Spencer, entertained a large number of their young friends in honor of their seventh birthday anniversary at their home, 610 Fourth street, on Thursday evening. A most enjoyable time was had by all. Refreshments were served on the lawn under the big trees. Many fine presents were received by the hostesses.

### Profitable Business for Scranton.

The Scranton city treasury was enriched to the extent of $850 the other day as he result of the wholesalle raid on penny-in-the-slot machines, made at the instance of the Municipal League. It was all taken in within an hour. There was not a moment wasted, practically all of the defendants pleaded guilty and paying the minimum fine of $25.

**All kinds of legal blanks for sale at this office.**


# Lumbermen's DRIVERS

10 inch Wisconsin Pattern Hand Pegged,

**$5.00.**

# Bark Shoes

**$2.50, $2.75.**

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506 Main St.,
TOWANDA, - PENNA.


**$1.50 shoes for $1.19 at the 2, 2½ and 3, Towanda, Pa.**


IF YOU HAVE A JOB OF PRINTING SEND IT TO THE TOWANDA PRINTING CO. TOWANDA, PA.


**All $3 shoes for $2.50 at the 2, 2½ and 3, Towanda, Pa.**

# WANT ADS.

Rates:—25 cents for first insertion under 50 words. One-half cent a word each time thereafter with minimum charge of 10c for the second consecutive insertion of any ad. These ads have brought great results in many cases. Try one.

## FOR SALE.

**4 GOOD COWS:** one old cow and 3 heifers, will be sold Saturday afternon at 2 o'clock on the Dan Lamphere farm at Myersburg, Pa. Mrs. C. E. Lamphere. R-J 1t*

**THE H. W. WHEELER** farm in Bulingon township containing one hundred and sixty acres good house and barn, plenty of wood and water, young orchard; will sell cheap for cash or part payment. Address, Mrs. H. W. Wheeler, Columbia X Roads, R. F. D. 60, Pa. 15jun1f

**YOUNG** black horse. Inquire of I. G. Smith, R. F. D. No. 7. Towanda, Pa. S22jun*

**SIX ACRES** of land, with house, barn, water, and variety of fruit trees thereon. Ideal place for raising poultry. One mile from Rome. Cheap for cash. F. F. Ford, Rome, Pa. s13jly*

**RED ROAN** horse, 9 years old, 1,100 lbs. weight, will be sold cheap. Good horse for R. F. D. service. Apply to Charles Pelton, Long Valley, Pa.s22j*

**TRY** Prof. Buck's Pain Killer. Put up by W. F. Buck, Burlington, Pa1j6t

**THE B. M. AYERS** Planing Mill Co. offers their business for sale, satisfactory reasons for selling will be given. The business is in a prosperous condition. 12maytf

**THE R. S. BACON** farm in Asylum township well watered, good buildings, plenty of fruit and wood, part payment down with time for the remainder. One hundred acres or more. Inquire of Mrs. R. S. Bacon on the farm. Towanda R. F. D. No. 9. ap16tf

**FARM** of 30 acres; nicely situated, at Cold Creek. Good house and barn, two good springs of water; orchard of 70 apples, pears, etc., fine location. Would exchange for town property. Address George White, R. F. D. No. 38, Wyalusing, Pa. ap16tf

**MISSOURI** grain drills, oliver and other leading plows, Planet, Jr. cultivators, harrows, rollers, farm and platform wagons. If you want a colt that will sell get one from Soper's Kentucky Bred Horse. J. E. Soper, Ulster, Pa. 3mar4m

**FOR SALE**—Modern house and large lot on Fourth St., between State and Ward Ave. Inquire of Mrs. Julia Cullinan, Lombard St. 3novt

**FRAZIER HOMESTEAD** of 70 acres, three miles from Rummerfield, Wyalusing, Homet's Ferry and Camptown. Cheap for cash or time. Inquire of or address Guy C. Hollon, Towanda, Pa. 10dectf

**TWO ADJOINING** farms for sale on Vaughan Hill Wyalusing township. Pleasantly located at the forks of road about 2½ miles from Wyalusing, Camptown and Homet's Ferry; about a mile from creamery. One contains about 70 acres, has a house, barn, and orchard. The other contains 120 acres, has a fifteen room house, (been used for summer boarders) two barns, wagon house, fruit, etc. Terms easy; warranty deeds given. Inquire on premises or address Mrs. N. L. Hollon, Wyalusing, Pa. 26jantf

**ONE OR TWO** cars good sifted hardwood ashes 10 cts. per bushel. F. O. B. Laquin, Pa. In quantities to suit purchaser. Penn'a. Stave Co. 19jantf

## NOTICE.

**ALL PERSONS** holding Ridgebury School Orders are requested to present the same to the Treasurer for payment on or before July 29, 1905, as interest on the same will cease on that date. Chas. E. Halstead, Sec'y. 22Jun3t